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FORCED RYAN TO PAY $5,000 FOR A LETTER

"Get-Rich-Quick" Man Tells How He Was Bled by Postal Officials

TEXT OF THE LETTER WHICH RYAN BOUGHT

Ryan Says an Effort Was Made To Bleed Him for $25,000 for a Senator—Ryan Has Confessed Everything and Will Not Be Prosecuted.

Washington, May 26.—United States Marshal Henry C. Pettit, at Rockville, Ind., today notified the department by telegraph of the arrest of Joseph M. Johns, charged with conspiracy in the alleged bribery of Daniel V. Miller, the assistant attorney for the postoffice department.

Johns will be tried at Cincinnati. The cases will be presented to the federal grand jury which meets there October 6. According to evidence in possession of the postal authorities Johns received $4,500 as a result of the decision of the acting assistant attorney general, Christiancy, that the Ryan Turf Investment Company was entitled to use the mails.

Miller was at the postoffice department today in conference with Attorney General Robb, who questioned him closely regarding the case. The case of the Arnold company is still under investigation. The checks which figure in the alleged payments to Miller and Johns which are in possession of the department are for $1,600. They were supplemented with a cash payment of $1,100. The checks are signed by the Ryan concern and made out to Johns' order, and indorsed by him. Ryan has agreed to be a witness for the government. He has furnished the department with all the information in his possession, including the documents. Miller left today for Terre Haute, Ind.

While the department cannot guarantee Ryan immunity it will put his service in turning state's evidence in the best light before the court. Miller had charge of the investigation of the Ryan case and prepared the letter which Acting Assistant Attorney General Christiancy signed. This letter, which constituted the decision of the department, allowed the concern to use the mails and was signed December 16. The decision in the Arnold case which served as a precedent and whose language if followed, was signed by Assistant Attorney General Tyner, December 4.

Why Ryan Squealed.

Cincinnati, May 26.—John J. Ryan, whose confessions caused the arrest of D. V. Miller, assistant attorney general of the postoffice department at Washington, and of Joseph I. Johns, prosecuting attorney of Parke county, Indiana, at Rockville, Ind., operated his "get-rich-quick" turf investment concern from here and from St. Louis, and ran winter races at Newport, Ky. Ryan is here now and admits that he operated some time at St. Louis before the inspectors got after him and later he was called to Washington. Ryan says:

"I was sore because I heard that others doing business like mine, stood in with the postoffice department by giving up $25,000 and I felt that those who were standing in with the department were behind the investigation so as to get me out of their way."

After returning from Washington to St. Louis last November Ryan says he got a telegram from Attorney Johns, of Rockville, Ind., that Johns could be of service to him with the department at Washington, and later Ryan and Johns met in Terre Haute. There, Ryan says, Johns explained how close he was to Miller and how Miller had accepted a $2,000 job in the postoffice at Washington, with the idea that the job had certain "trimmings" such as, Ryan says, Johns explained, Ryan would be able to furnish.

Ryan declares Johns asked $5,000 to get from Miller a letter from the attorney general's office, showing Ryan was entitled to use of the mails. After a little dickering Ryan says Johns came down to $2,500 and the proposition was accepted. A proposition to pay $2,000 for literature so worded it would pass muster if it was ever taken up in the mails, was later accepted.

Ryan asserts Johns delivered the letter and literature to him December 16. Ryan says he gave Johns $1,100 cash and checks dated December 17, one for $2,000 and one for $1,400.

The Letter That Cost $5,000.

The following is the letter that Ryan says cost him $5,000:

"D. V. M.

"Washington, D. C., December 10, 1902.

"Messrs. John J. Ryan and Company, Fourth and Locust streets.

"St. Louis, Mo.—Gentlemen: Your attorney has requested that you be informed of the decision in this office in relation to your case, which has been pending before it since November 11, 1902, and in accordance with said request I beg to inform you that information desired, as indicated by certain written questions propounded to you at the time of the hearing, and your answers thereto, were furnished by you to the postoffice inspectors November 28 and 29, 1902. Said inspectors have filed their report in this office, which report shows that you have furnished the information desired and were complying with the promises and agreements contained in your letter to this office November 11, 1902. If you have since November 29, 1902, complied with your promises and agreements contained in your letter of the 11th ultimo, and will continue to do so, no further action will be taken by this office and your case will be closed. Should this office at any time in the future receive satisfactory information that you are not complying with the

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MARK HANNA MEEKLY BOWS TO ROOSEVELT

Senator Announces That He Will Not Oppose Indorsement of President.

FORAKER IS GRATIFIED BY HANNA'S SURRENDER

Hanna Says That He Has Decided No Longer To Oppose the President Because of a Telegram Received from the Latter.

Cleveland, Ohio, May 26.—Senator Hanna has decided to offer no further opposition to a proposed resolution in the coming republican state convention endorsing the candidacy of President Roosevelt for another term. This action was decided upon late this afternoon. When asked if he had heard from President Roosevelt with reference to the discussion concerning his attitude in connection with the resolution, Senator Hanna made the following statement to the Associated Press representative.

"I am inreceipt of a telegram from President Roosevelt, which indicates to me his desire to have the endorsement of the Ohio republican state convention of his administration and candidacy. In view of this I shall not oppose such action by the convention and I have telegraphed the president to that effect."

Senator Hanna positively declined to further discuss the subject, insisting that the brief statement above fully covered the situation.

It is the general belief, however, among those close to the senator that he still doubts the advisability of the adoption of a resolution endorsing President Roosevelt's candidacy by this year's convention. But, it is pointed out, that in deferring to the president's judgment and expressed wishes, Mr. Hanna demonstrates that his original position in the matter was at no time prompted by personal antagonism to President Roosevelt.

Foraker Is Gratified.

Washington, May 26.—When the dispatch announcing that Senator Hanna would not oppose an indorsement of President Roosevelt at the coming Ohio state convention was shown to Senator Foraker tonight, he dictated the following statement:

"I am very much gratified to learn that Senator Hanna has withdrawn his opposition to the indorsement of President Roosevelt's candidacy in 1904. Not on any personal grounds, for I have not at any time had any personal interest in the matter, but solely because I think indorsement good for Senator Hanna and the party as well as for President Roosevelt, who has well earned a second term by the splendid administration he has given us. The result will be a harmonious convention and an enthusiastic and unanimous indorsement for Senator Hanna for another term in the senate."

The senator added that the votes of Ohio added to the states that have declared heretofore for President Roosevelt gave the president a majority of the votes in the next republican national convention.

CUBA AND PLATT AMENDMENT.

Negotiations To Give Amendment Effect at Standstill.

Washington, May 26.—Although Minister Squiers is extremely anxious to complete the negotiations to give effect to the Platt amendment, these have come to a standstill through absence from Havana of Senor Zaldo, the Cuban minister for foreign affairs, who was summoned to New York by the serious illness of his daughter.

Mr. Squiers had prepared the way for a treaty defining the status of the Isle of Pines and this would have completed the work of treaty-making. It is believed that this last treaty will confirm the right of Cuba to the Isle of Pines, although it will provide ample safeguards for the considerable American interests there.

TROOPS TO PROTECT NEGRO.

Mob Had Formed To Burn Assailant of White Woman.

Kaufman, Tex., May 26.—Two companies of militia from Terrell and Dallas have been ordered here to protect a negro who is charged with criminally assaulting a white woman. This afternoon a mob formed with the avowed purpose of burning the negro, but the arrival of troops will doubtless allay the excitement.

LOWELL MILLS MAY RESUME.

Rumored That a Start Will Be Made June 1.

Lowell, Mass., May 26.—It was officially announced here today that an attempt would be made to resume operations at the cotton mills here on June 1. The mills were shut down on Saturday, March 28.

New Department for Grant.

Chattanooga, Tenn., May 26.—At a meeting of the trustees of Grant university held here today, which was attended by many prominent Methodist, including Bishops Goodsell and Walden, President Race was authorized to establish a department of liberal arts here not later than September, 1904.

Military Prisoner Killed.

San Francisco, May 26.—Charles A. Hurd, a military prisoner serving a sentence for desertion from the coast artillery, was shot and killed by Private Charles M. Chew while attempting to escape from the guard at Fort Mason. Hurd's birthplace is given in the army records as Hot Springs, Ark.



THE STORK AS A PLATFORM.

BRILLIANT CLOSE OF ENCAMPMENT; JOHN A. HYNDS TO BE GRAND MASTER



COLONEL JOHN B. GOODWIN, Grand Sire of the Odd Fellows, Who is a Conspicuous Figure in the Grand Lodge Meeting.

Grand Lodge of Georgia Convenes at 9 O'Clock This Morning.

ELLIOTT, OF BRUNSWICK, IS GRAND PATRIARCH

B. C. Randall, of Griffin, Is Chosen Grand High Priest, R. S. Crenshaw, of Columbus, Senior Grand Warden and J. S. Tyson, Grand Scribe.

In the presence of a brilliant audience that filled the large hall at 117 1-2 Whitehall street to overflowing the annual meeting of the grand encampment of the Odd Fellows of Georgia came to a close last night. Every seat in the hall was occupied, the platform and the steps leading to it were covered with people and the anteroom was well filled by 8 o'clock. Flitting here and there were the uniformed men of the cantons, their magnificent regalia adding a dash of sparkling color to the scene, while from all quarters came the soft rustle of the fans of the handsomely attired women of the Rebekah lodges.

The entire scene was an inspiring one, and one not soon to be forgotten by those who witnessed it.

The last night of the encampment was given over to features of entertainment, and the delegates and their friends enjoyed themselves to the utmost.

The people began gathering before the appointed hour and by half-past 8 o'clock the speaking that had been announced began. Preceding these, however, the audience were treated to some splendid music on the violin by Herbert Dittler, a musical prodigy. This little fellow is quite the smallest musician seen in this city in many a day, but the manner in which he performs on the most difficult of instruments would do credit to those who have made a life study of the art. He was encored twice and each time responded amid appreciative applause.

Judge R. T. Daniel Speaks.

At the conclusion of the music Judge Robert T. Daniel, of Griffin, was introduced. Judge Daniel well sustained his state-wide reputation as an orator of ability and discussed the object and the progress of Odd Fellowship in an able manner.

Grand Sire Goodwin next introduced Past Grand Master William H. Barnes, of California. In presenting him to the audience Mr. Goodwin paid some high compliments to the old war horse of the order. It was Mr. Barnes who established the first lodge of the order in this state, and the Barnes lodge No. 20, of Atlanta, is named after him. Mr. Goodwin made an eloquent speech and was heartily applauded.

To describe the way in which Past Grand Master Barnes held his hearers attention while he addressed them would convey but a faint idea of the real impression his remarks made on the people. A man of magnificent voice, commanding presence and real mastery of the art of

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JOHN A. HYNDS, Who Becomes Grand Master of the Odd Fellows of Georgia.

THIRTY CENTS FOR DR. HILLIS

Citizens of Tennessee Town Reward His Booker Washington Remarks.

Memphis, Tenn., May 26.—(Special.)—The utterance of the Rev. Dr. Dwight Hillis, of New York, about making up the bed of Booker Washington should he be a visitor at his home, met with condemnation in this part of the south, and several of his admiring friends of McKenzie, Tenn., sent him a purse of 30 cents, with the follwing note:

"Dear Dr. Hillis—We are all poor, but we want to share our substnace with you in admiration for your wonderful sacrifice of yourself on the altar of duty for mere opinion's sake. Your courage is assuming the affimative on the question: 'Shall Booker Washington have me spread his quilts?' is one of the finest examples of manly independence that the twentieth century has yet produced.

"We rather think the Indianapolis chambermaid has you bested at this stage of the game, and her position is probably more remunerative than yours, but we glory in your spunk, and we are not willing for your efforts to go unrewarded. Yours affectionately,

"ADMIRING FRIENDS."

TEXTILE MILLS REFUSE DEMAND

Probable That 100,000 Workers Will Go on Strike on June 1.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 26.—In all of the local textile mills notices were posted today by the manufacturers announcing their refusal to grant the demand of the workers for a fifty-five-hour week.

The employees fixed June 1 as the time limit for the concession and it is almost certain that a strike involving upward of 100,000 men will be inaugurated next Monday.

RIFLE BULLET FOR PRESIDENT

Joseph Becker Had Made Preparations To Fire on Roosevelt.

Walla Walla, Wash., May 26.—Joseph Becker, a radical socialist, is in the city jail here on suspicion of having intended to kill President Roosevelt yesterday. The entire affair was kept quiet until the president's departure.

Becker is accused of remarking in Pendleton, Oregon, last week that he had one bullet for President Roosevelt and another for Emperor William, of Germany. He left for Walla Walla with a winchester and his Pendleton partner, Pat Kline, followed him here, notifying the police.

Becker was located working in a butcher shop. He was arrested and on being sweated discloseh the location of his rifle, which was packed away in a farmer's barn along the line of march. Becker is a Swiss. The police here think that a tragedy was narrowly averted.

TWO CHILDREN SPIRITED AWAY

When Left by Guardian They Are Supposed To Have Been Kidnaped.

Lexington, Ky., May 26.—It is believed the two children of Joseph McCann have been kidnaped from here. They were left in a buggy on Main street by Mrs. H. T. Hume, into whose care the circuit court had assigned them. The mother is the wife of Senator J. W. Peake, of Chattanooga, and the father is supposed to have gone to the Indian Territory. They separated several years ago.

TORNADO CUTS DEADLY SWATH THROUGH WEST

Sections of Iowa, Nebraska, Missouri and Kansas Are Badly Harried.

TWELVE PERSONS KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN KILLED

Iowa Asylum for the Feeble Minded Wrecked and Many of the Inmates Injured — Tornado Accompanied by Heavy Downpour of Rain.

Des Moines, Iowa, May 26.—Iowa has been storm-swept for the past twenty-four hours. Three tornadoes, two last night and one tonight resulted in the loss of six lives, the fatal injury of three and the serious injury of a score of people, beside great property loss.

The Dead at Glenwood.

MAGGIE BIETNER.
HAZEL WRIGHT.

Near Buxton.

GEORGIA BUCKLEY.
HERBERT RHODES.

At South Des Moines.

RUSSELL A. KNAUFF, aged 30 years.
FLOYD KNAUFF, his 4-months-old son.

The Injured.

At Glenwood: Mary Eckert, Anna Delaney, Myrtle Dickinson, Etta Newton, Harrison Johnson, Rolla Rathburn.

Near Buxton: Mollettus Rhodes, fatal; Mollie Rhodes, fatal; Eliza Baky, fatal; Amphy and Minnie Baky, Seward, Lucy, George and Addison Rhodes, Ruddie Reasby, Mary Walker.

At South Des Moines: Mrs. Knauff, bruised and cut; Mrs. Margaret Boston,

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SUMMARY OF NEWS

FORECAST.

For Georgia—Showers Wednesday except fair in southwest portion; Thursday showers; fresh southeast winds.

Highest temperature	80
Lowest temperature	73
Mean temperature	81
Normal temperature	72
Precipitation for past 24 hours	.00
Deficiency since 1st of month	.73
Excess since January 1	3.9[illegible]

LOCAL.

Mrs. Stonewall Jackson is a guest in Atlanta on her way home after attending the New Orleans reunion.

Georgia will receive over $16,000 less than was expected by Governor Terrell for the encampment of Georgia troops.

Comptroller General Wright will refuse request of the city of Atlanta to assess railroad property in the city limits according to the standard of city values.

The grand lodge of the Odd Fellows of Georgia convenes this morning. John A. Hynds, of Atlanta, will be chosen grand master. The grand encampment of the state met and adjourned yesterday.

GEORGIA.

The Macon board of aldermen is divided over the proposition to put convicts on the city streets.

Thomas Gray, wanted in Texas for bigamy, will go to the Georgia insane asylum. The Carroll county lunacy proceeding being upheld.

The Columbus Electric Company's object to putting their wires underground.

The Quintette yarn mills, of Eatonton, were sold at bankrupt sale yesterday.

The widow of Wily Tanner, who has been held for her husband's death, was released yesterday. The coroner's jury found no evidence that Tanner had been poisoned.

SOUTHERN.

Near Abbeville, S. C., three prominent citizens have dropped dead since Saturday.

For alleged combination to fix rates in Austin, fifty-nine fire insurance compaines are to be barred from Texas.

Two engineers and a fireman were killed yesterday in two wrecks, one on the Southern and one on the Chesapeake and Ohio.

The supreme court of North Carolina is now considering the second appeal of James Wilcox, covicted of the murder of Nellie Cropsey.

FOREIGN.

Lieutenant Javier, commanding a force of constabulary, defeated 200 fanatics on the island of Cebu, killing sixty-eight.

Ensign Hussner, of the German service, who killed a private for failing to salute, has been sentenced to four years' imprisonment and to degradation.

Correspondents who witnessed the Paris-Madrid automobile contest say that the fatalities were so numerous because spectators were allowed to crowd on the course.

DOMESTIC.

The United States government is investigating the charge that negroes are held in peonage in Alabama.

Many persons were killed and injured by tornadoes which swept portions of Nebraska and Iowa yesterday.

Because of the assault and murder of Miss Kaiser, in Indiana, hundreds of negroes have been ordered to leave the state.

Curtis Jett and Tom White have been lodged in jail at Jackson, Ky. Jett threatens to confess and implicate many prominent men in the Breathitt county murders.

Having received a telegram from Roosevelt, Senator Hanna announces that he will no longer oppose the indorsement of the president by the Ohio republican convention.

"Get-Rich-Quick" Ryan, who paid $5,000 to Attorney Miller, of the postal department, for an indorsement, will not be prosecuted inasmuch as he has turned state's evidence.

MORE TROOPS TO KEEP CHECK ON FEUDISTS

Fear Expressed That They May Swoop Down and Do Bloody Work.

BELIEVED MORE SOLDIERS ARE NEEDED AT JACKSON

Tom White Under Arrest and Curtis Jett Returned to Breathitt County—Jett Thought County Officials Were Among His Friends.

Jackson, Ky., May 26.—The capture of Tom White and the return of Curtis Jett to Breathitt county were the events of today in the investigation of the murder of J. B. Marcum on which chief interest focussed.

Tonight the question of whether more troops are needed in agitating the minds of many. While nothing has occurred to arouse apprehension there have been suggestions that do not make all feel secure. The authorities feel that more troops are needed, they will be badly needed and any emergency will be abrupt. There is a well defined belief that when Jett and White are put on trial there will be a confession and that a number of prominent men may be implicated.

It is argued that an army of men could be quickly gotten together in the interior of Breathitt county. It could swoop down on Jackson and, under the pretext of lynching, secure the prisoners, possibly kill some one who possessed knowledge and apply the adage, "that dead man tell no tales." It is true that this would be a desperate undertaking, but desperate things have been done in Breathitt county and this view may not seem as intemperate there as it would seem improbable elsewhere.

More Troops Wanted.

At any rate, Mrs. J. B. Marcum, her friends and a number of citizens are saying that more troops are most believing that the men now here and scattered among the factions could not cope with a mob of determined men. A consultation among officers was held today, but further than ordering another Gatling gun from Louisville there is no indication that reinforcements will be required.

Tom White was arrested at the home of his mother, eighteen miles from here, at daylight by a squad of soldiers under Deputy Sheriff Little, who made the arrest. The house was surrounded and White was called out. When he reached the fence the warrant was read and accompanied by soldiers, he returned to the house and dressed. The party reached here shortly after noon and White was remanded until tomorrow morning, when he and Jett will be arraigned together. At the advice of his attorney, Judge John Noble, he declined to make a statement.

James Johnson, a nephew of the late J. B. Marcum, guided the soldiers to where White was found.

Jett Put in Irons.

Elisor B. J. Little and twelve soldiers went to Winchester today and the order for Jett was honored by Judge Benton. He was placed in irons and arrived here and was committed to jail this evening. He has employed B. F. French, of Winchester, as counsel. An effort will be made by his attorney to get a change of venue. If this fails he will endeavor to have the jury summoned from outside of Breathitt county.

The impression is strong that the conspiracies which have culminated in the series of assassinations in Breathitt county will be traced to the fountain head and startling developments are expected this week Jett is bitter against the officials of Breathitt county, whom he claimed as friends and whom he blames for not coming to his relief. It is not known what he expects of them, but he is bitterly disappointed. The jail is heavily guarded tonight.

Quartermaster Casey went to Louisville this afternoon under orders to bring back two gatling guns and a large quanity of ammunition. He will return with the guns tomorrow afternoon.

Judge Redwine this evening issued an order placing the jail under military control and Jailer Spencer turned over the keys to Colonel Williams. Jett and White were not allowed to converse with one another and occupy separate cells. White's attorney was denied the privilege of talking with Jett. The temporary removal of the jailer was simply to give troops the custody of those for whose safety the militia is responsible.

White in Tears.

Had not the posse which captured White ridden steadily all night he would have escaped. An informer left Jackson soon after the soldiers did, but was outridden by about half an hour. White went to two windows seeking means of escape when awakened, but seeing soldiers, calmly opened the front door and walked out. He wept when he saw friends in the crowd at Jackson.

One company of militia and a Gatling gun and a squad were at the station to meet Jett. It was feared that an attempt to assassinate him would be made and he was escorted to jail with a wall of soldiers on every side. He refused to talk with reporters. County Judge Hargis procured an order and held a long private conference with Jett.

Nine witnesses, among them Sheriff Callahan and Judge Hargis, were before the grand jury today.

Ewen's house is still guarded by soldiers. Messenger boys who carry dispatches for newspaper men to the telegraph office are escorted by soldiers and the greatest precautions are taken against possible assassination of any one.

Forbes Beats Rauch.

Kansas City, May 26.—Harry Forbes got the decision over Morris Rauch at the end of a fifteen-round [illegible] at the Missouri Athletic Club tonight. [illegible] was the aggressor throughout [illegible] the award.

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For Men of Brains

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ENCAMPMENT IS CLOSED; HYNDS IS GRAND MASTER

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public speaking, he so completely captured the listeners that hardly a glance left his face during the thirty minutes he occupied the stand. At times the hand-clapping and applause was deafening, and when he reached a particularly effective point in his discourse he received an ovation. Among other things that he said was that "not all the gold that lies beneath the rugged mountains and the sunny valleys of California can open the hearts of the million and a half Odd Fellows as can one word from a brother of the order." His whole speech was a splendid effort, and at its conclusion he entertained the delegates further with songs and imitations of well known characters. This was the last feature of the evening preceding the service of the refreshments. An elegant feast was offered to the members of the encampment and their friends, and was greatly enjoyed.

Encampment Opens.

The annual session of the grand encampment opened yesterday morning with a march from the front of the Kimball house, starting at 9 o'clock. The members were lined up at that time and place, and were escorted to the hall by Canton Atlanta No. 1, in full uniform. The spectacle was a fine one, and there were many delegates in line. There are thirty encampments in the state, and twenty-five of them were in line yesterday morning. Upon reaching the hall, the canton returned to the armory on Alabama street, leaving the members of the encampment to get down to the business of the session.

At 9:45 o'clock the body was called to order by Grand Patriarch Fred Ficken, of Waycross, who stated briefly the outline of the work of the day. After receiving the reports of the committee on credentials and membership, the encampment proceeded to elect officers of the grand encampment for the following year. The following were chosen: G. L. Elliot, of Brunswick, grand patriarch; B. C. Randall, of Griffin, grand high priest; R. S. Crenshaw, of Columbus, senior grand warden; J. S. Tyson, of Savannah, grand scribe; A. S. Kontz, of Atlanta, grand treasurer; Jonas Mendel, of Savannah, junior grand warden.

The newly elected grand patriarch appointed the following as his assistants for this term: C. W. Parr, of Athens, grand marshal; L. S. Hill, of Macon, grand inside sentinel; A. C. Brinson, of Augusta, grand outside sentinel.

At the afternoon meeting all these officers, both the elective and appointive, were installed in their offices by Grand Representative Dorsett, of Atlanta, they being presented to the chair by Past Grand Patriarch George W. Gantt, of Macon, and Grand Representative J. G. Bloodworth, of Atlanta. At the conclusion of the installation the work of the grand encampment for this year was ended, and it adjourned at 6 o'clock.

The Morning Session.

At the morning session J. L. Bass, of Rome, former grand master of Georgia, was elected grand representative in place of J. G. Bloodworth. The committee on revision, through its chairman, V. T. Barnwell, of Atlanta, reported on the revision of the by-laws of the grand and subordinate encampments, and after some discussion the report as to the latter was adopted. Part of the report, that referring to the revision of the constitution of the grand encampment, was laid over to the session next year, and no action was taken on it at this time. This was done in order to have more mature deliberation on the matter.

In the afternoon the committee on finance reported, showing this branch of the order to be in splendid condition. It has money ahead and is growing stronger numerically and financially with the passing of the years. The meeting of the grand encampment in Atlanta this year was a very successful one in every sense of the word, and the members are waiting over today and tomorrow to attend the meeting of the grand lodge, of which they are members and in the work of which they are deeply interested.

The Independent Order of Odd Fellows has 13,000 lodges in good working condition, with a membership exceeding 1,200,000. In California alone, as stated by Past Grand Master Barnes, there are 61,000 members. Georgia has a membership of 15,000 and 185 lodges and it is rapidly growing in this state. Many lodges have been added during the administration of Grand Master McAlpin.

Yesterday the members of the grand lodge who are not members of the encampment occupied themselves in viewing the city and in resting up for the work ahead of them today. Judge Henry McAlpin spent the day quietly at the home of his friend, Bishop Nelson. He took no part in the proceedings of the encampment, but will assume full sway this morning.

Parade This Morning.

Promptly at 9 o'clock the procession of the grand lodge will form in front of the Kimball house and, escorted by Canton Dixie No. 4, of Atlanta, they will march to the hall at 117 1-2 Whitehall. The first event will be the speeches of welcome by Governor Terrell, Mayor Howell and Grand Sire Goodwin. These will be responded to by Grand Master Henry McAlpin, of Savannah. At the conclusion of the addresses, the committee on credentials and membership will bring in its report, and the new members of the lodge will be initiated. The grand lodge will then be ready for work.

The election of officers for the ensuing term of twelve months will follow. John A. Hynds, of Atlanta, will be the next grand master, he having no opposition for that place. Almost all the old officers will be moved up one point, and there will be no startling changes made in any department of the grand lodge. There will be not less than 100 new members to be put through the grand lodge degree at the morning session. In the afternoon there will be a trolley ride and other entertainment features. At the evening session degree work will be gone through with by a picked degree team from some of the lodges in this city. There are a large number of Rebekah lodge members in the city. Columbus has the banner delegation in this department, one party of thirty ladies having come up from that place last night. The ladies will do a great deal of degree work at their meetings, and this will be one of the most interesting parts of the grand lodge meeting this year.

Fully 1,000 people were gathered in the hall last night and a more enthusiastic body has rarely been seen even in this city of conventions. Every man and woman seemed engrossed in what was transpiring before them and the speakers were given most flattering attention. The local members had taken the precaution to have the hall well supplied with cooling palm leaf fans and their vigorous use kept the air in motion and rendered the packed room very comfortable.

The work of the grand lodge will be taken up and carried on in an expeditious manner and it is thought the larger portion of it will have been completed by the end of this evening's session. There will be a meeting tomorrow morning, however, to wind up unfinished business, and after that the members will begin departing to their homes.

The reception this morning at the hall at 9 o'clock is expected to be one of the delightful features of the occasion. The speakers who will take part are entertaining men at all times and they will exert themselves to the utmost today.

CHICAGO HOTELS MAY BE CLOSED

Proprietors Say They Will Not Grant Demands of Employees.

Chicago, May 26.—Every hotel and restaurant in Chicago will be closed at once if the employees union submits exorbitant demands tomorrow," said Joseph Beifield, proprietor of the Sherman house, today. "And if we shut up the lockout will continue until the employees are thoroughly tired out. This action will surely follow a refusal of the union to recede from its preposterous demands of a refusal to arbitrate."

Mr. Beifield spoke for the hotel men's and restaurant keepers' association recently formed.

GROVER CLEVELAND TO SPEAK.

Former President Will Attend the Jewish Mass Meeting.

New York, May 26.—Grover Cleveland has telegraphed to the committee in charge that he will be present at the mass meeting tomorrow evening at Carnegie hall in aid of the Jews who suffered by the Kishinef massacre. Mayor Low will preside. Among those who will speak in addition to Mr. Cleveland and the mayor will be Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of Plmouth church, Brooklyn; President Jacob Schurman, of Cornell university; the Rev. Robert S. McMurty, Bishop Potter and Archbishop Farley.

Combes on Auto Horrors.

Paris, May 26.—Premier Combes, in the chamber of deputies today, to an interpellation on the automobile race, said permission to race had been granted owing to solicitations in behalf of the interests of French industry. The accidents were not due to lack of precautions. The government was not disposed to grant further permissions. If automobiles want more speed trials they must make a private track.

Bubonic Plague Appears.

Santiago de Chili, May 26.—It is rumored that the bubonic plague has appeared at the seaport of Iquique.

If you have weak lungs you have reason to fear pneumonia, and should keep at hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It counteracts any tendency of a cold or attack of the grip to result in pneumonia, and is pleasant and safe to take. It always cures, and cures quickly.

TROUBLE BREWS FOR HEBREWS

Harsh Measures Are Resolved on by Russia.

Fresh Inquiry Will Be Made Into Legal Status of the Jews, and a Large Number of Expulsions Will Soon Follow.

St. Petersburg, May 26.—The chief of police of Kieff has ordered the police commissioners within his jurisdiction to institute a fresh inquiry into the legal status of the Jews ad to forcefully expel those who have no legal right of evidence and who refuse ti leave.

A Jewish depudation from Kishineff recen tly a long audience with Minister Plehwe. The latter denied being a Judophobe and said he had not opposed taking proceedings against the former governor of Kishineff. Gen Von Raaben, and the local administration of Kishinef. The minister promised sympathetic consideration of the facts set forth in the petitions of the Jewish population for future protection. Consequently the minister yesterday suppressed the distribution of Krousterau's new anti-Semeticic organ, The Znamis.

FAMOUS BULL FIGHTER KILLED

Shot to Death by Man of Whom He Was Jealous.

El Paso, Texas, May 26.—Marino Rengal, a celebrated bul fighter, was shot through tshe heart and instantly kiled by Salvador del Castillo, an officer of the Mexican custom guard. Reginald battered down the door of the house where Castello was calling on his sweetheart with whom Regnal was also in love and Castillo shot him dead.

A Sudden Drop.

Kansas City Journal: "Yep," said Dakota Dan, resting his glass on the bar. "He pretended to be a friend of mine, but he wusn't. Last summer he done me a dirty, sneakin' trick—sold me a saddle that wusn't his'n, and I had to give it up."

"I suppose you were not very friendly with him after that?"

"Nope—I dropped him then and thar. His widder married the sheriff last week."

JAMES GORDON BENNETT CUP.

Effort Will Be Made To Prevent Fatalities.

London, May 26.—The Dublin Gazette issued tonight contains the regulations for the automobile race for James Gordon Bennett cup, which is to take place in Ireland, July 2. The whole course will be closed from 6 o'clock in the morning until the race is finished, and the other regulations reduce the possibility of accidents to a minimum. It is believed that the Irish administration is considering still further precautions to insure the safety of the public.

King Edward, who is taking great interest in the contest, talked over the matter yesterday with Premier Balfour.

The Same Old Game.

There once was a sporty young Mr.,
Who said to a girl when he Kr.,
"Won't you please be my wife?"
She said: "Not on your life;
The most I can be is your Sr."
—New York Times.

HUNDRED HOMES LAID IN ASHES

Laconia, New Hampshire, Is Swept by Destroying Fire.

Laconia, N. H., May 26.—The city is in darkness tonight; nearly one hundred buildings, have been burned, 350 persons made homeless and a loss of between $350,000 and $400,000 incurred as the result of a fire in the Lake Port section, the area burned over being about 150 acres. The fire started in a boiler room of the H. H. Wood hosiery mill, which was destroyed. The city fire department was helpless to stay the progress of the flames, and the destruction went on until the fire actually burned itself out for want of material.

KAISER'S MAN WOULDN'T PAY

German Consul Refused To Pay the Head Tax at El Paso.

El Paso, Tex., May 26.—The Mexican Central train was delayed an hour today at this port of entry because Weber, the German consul, refused to pay the head tax of $2 each for himself and Herr Von Waldthausen, a German nobleman, before they could enter the United States. Weber claimed that with correct interpretation the law was not applicable to himself and the nobleman. A tourist paid the fees unknown to the Germans in order that the delay might end.

"The King's Private Band."

King Edward has given orders for the disbandment of his private band, one of the ancient features of his court. In its present form it was established by Charles II, and some authorities assert that a "state" band existed in the days of Queen Elizabeth. It is composed of thirty-four musicians, under the direction of Sir Walter Parratt, "master of the musick." Its members are the best that can be secured in England, and this is the real cause of its dissolution. Unlike his mother, King Edward does not care much for state concerts by his own musicians, and since his accession the duties of the band have been confined chiefly to the playing of light music, including ragtime, during royal dinners. This they regard as undignified, and the king regards as extravagant. The same music can be played as well by fewer and less notable musicians. Therefore another ancient institution has been done away with.

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TORNADO CUTS DEADLY SWATH

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skull injured by falling brick; Charles McNutt, hurt by flying limbs of trees; Mrs. John McCoy, breast and head cut by flying glass.

The victims at Glenwood were all inmates of the school for the feeble-minded, where the storm struck at 9.30 p. m. The tornado struck the girls' dormitory, commonly known as the old building, first. The roof was torn off and fell back upon the wreck and building. All of the buildings of the group, including the hospital, were more or less damaged by the storm.

During the past twenty-four hours heavy rains have been general over Iowa. In Des Moines 2.08 inches of water fell. A cloudburst at Adel this afternoon caused a precipitation of more than five inches in a few hours. Heavy rains are reported from Webster City and other points. The upper Des Moines river is rising rapidly and a repetition of the flood condition of last June is feared. The river here stands at 11 feet above low water, having risen a few inches today. The local weather bureau predicts that the floods from the upper river will reach here tomorrow. Iowa railroads suffered severely tonight from excessive rainfall and trains into Des Moines are from three to five hours late on all lines. Superintendent Horton, of the Des Moines and Sioux City branch of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, tonight suspended all traffic until the roadbed can be examined.

Six Persons Killed.

Blanchard, Iowa, May 26.—A tornado struck the town of Elmo, eight miles west of Blanchard and just across the Missouri line, this evening, destroying the town. Six persons are known to have been killed and several others injured. The storm destroyed a three-story brick hotel. Six bodies have been removed from the ruins of the building and others are believed to be buried in the debris. The names of those whose bodies were recovered:

C. C. CALHOUN.
WILLIAM DUFF.
GUS DUNF.
CHARLES BELL.
L. SUMMERS.
D. L. PARKER.

Kansas Town Flooded.

Salina, Kans., May 26.—This city is tonight the scene of the worst flood in its history. Fully a hundred families have been driven from their homes and the extent of the damage is estimated to be hundreds of thousands of dollars. Another rain fell tonight, making 4 inches of rain that has fallen during the last 24 hours.

The northwestern portion of the city is entirely submerged and women and children were rescued from their homes in boats.

A passenger train on the Lincoln branch of the Union Pacific is held between two washouts 2 miles north of here. The passengers were brought to this city on hand cars. The Union Pacific tracks for 3 miles west of here are washed out. The Union Pacific station here is surrounded by water and the railroad yards are flooded. The entire district for miles northwest and southwest from the station is flooded. As far as the eye can reach the wheat fields have been transformed into a great lake of raging water. Crops are ruined and homes deserted.

Many Homes Are Under Water.

Chickasha, Ind. T., May 26.—The storm situation at Chickasha tonight is considerably changed for the worse since last night. The people awoke this morning to find that Line creek, a small stream running through the town and emptying into Washita river, had overflowed its banks, and twenty or more residences were under water. The families living in the houses were all rescued without loss of life. Yesterday the Washita river was 6 feet higher at Anardako than ever before. Last night at 11 o'clock the flood reached here and a wall of water nearly 30 feet in height swept down the river bed, overflowing its banks and carrying with it everything in its path.

Railroad tracks are washed away in every direction.

Many Houses Washed Away.

Oklahoma City, May 26.—There was a further rise in the Canadian river at this point last night and today, and it is higher than at any time in its history.

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PRIMARY FARCE IN LOUISVILLE

Machine Defies the State Committee and Opens the Polls.

Louisville, Ky., May 26.—Under conditions bordering on the farcical, the polls opened at 6 o'clock this morning to receive votes in a democratic primary for city and county officers, which was called off by one faction of the democrats and indorsed by another. Policemen and tellers were on duty at each polling place, but owing to the uncertainty existing as to the legality of the election the attendance of voters was small.

Nearly every saloon keeper in the city opened his place of business as usual, but at 9 o'clock the police, acting on orders of Mayor Grainger, closed all drinking places and arrested a number of proprietors. The saloon men in opening obeyed a ruling of Judge McCann in the police court, who recognized the state committee and announced that the primary was not legal and that the saloons could remain open. Early this morninng, however, Mayor Grainger issued a proclamation ordering all saloons closed and insisted on its enforcement. The trouble was brought about by a clash between the state central committee and the city and county organization of the democratic party. The legality of today's primary will, it is believed, be settled later by the courts.

On the request of the city and county democratic committee Judge Caruth yesterday granted an injunction against Allie W. Young, chairman of the democratic state central committee, restraining him from deposing the local committee and from interfering with the primary set for today. Chairman Neal, of the local committee, notified Mr. Young that the primary was set for today. Judge McNeal, of the local committee, notified Mr. Young that the local committee refused to recognize the resolution of the state committee calling off the primary and immediately Mr. Young sent notices to members of the local committee removing them and appointing a new committee. A new chairman was at once chosen by the new local committee, and, being organized, the committee called off the primary set for today, fixing July 30 as the date.

John W. Vreeland, member of the state central committee from the Louisville district, reappointed the deposed local committee, but Chairman Young refused to ratify the appointments. Service on Judge Caruth's injunction yesterday was not had on Mr. Young. It is charged that Mr. Young is in contempt of court and his arrest is expected.

Tonight the adherents of the faction which revolted against Chairman Young's order and held the primary are claiming that 11,000 votes were cast during the day. The count shows that the set of candidates said to be favored by this faction received practically all the votes cast, the greatest number given any candidate supposed to be in favor of Chairman Young's plans being about 2,000. The Young adherents claim that only 2,000 votes were cast. This faction will hold a primary July 30.

By Mozart.

Harper's Magazine: The average compositor has a most intense dislike for contractions, and rarely puts one in his pages when it can be avoided. When he and the reporter disagree as to the meaning of some abbreviation, the result is sometimes amusing. A good example of this occurred in a southern city where a popular touring orchestra was giving a Sunday night concert. Naturally their selections were principally of a sacred character. Next morning The Daily — announced:

"The second part opened with a splendid rendition of the Overture from the Twelfth Massachusetts, by Mozart."

Many houses were washed from their foundations last night, and in some instances this morning only the tops of some could be seen. The 'Frisco passenger train due at 6 o'clock last night is tied up between two washouts a mile east of the city, where the river is more than a half mile wide. It was not until noon today that the passengers were transferred to this side by boats. The Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf has experienced more washouts and no trains will be run either way from this city before Thursday. It was estimated this morning that the damage to houses in the southern part of the city would reach $25,000.

The loss on wheat along the river bottom will run up into the thousands.

Severe Damage in Nebraska.

Omaha, Nebr., May 26.—Eastern Nebraska was visited by another series of storms last night and today, several of which developed into small tornadoes. One visited Hastings, near which place was the scene of Sunday's heavy storms, and blew several buildings to splinters.

Another struck Herman, 25 miles north of Omaha, and the scene of the tornado five years ago which killed a dozen people. The home of D. R. Parish was demolished and Mr. Parish, his wife and a child were seriously hurt.

Omaha also received a storm which blew several houses from their foundations and unroofed others in the southwestern part of the city.

Accompanying the severe wind in each instance was a rain storm of unusual severity, and as a result several towns in eastern Nebraska are flooded, Springfield, Papillion and Plattsmouth reporting the worst conditions. At Plattsmouth 2 feet of water was in the Burlington station and covered a number of streets.

The railroads have suffered washouts in a score of places, and a number of bridges have been carried away or badly damaged. The financial loss has been heavy and estimates place it at several hundred thousand dollars. One of the most severe storms was at Davey, a small town northwest of Lincoln, which resulted in the injury of thirteen persons, none fatally. The report received from there states that every dwelling and out building in the town was wrecked. The storm originated in Lincoln shortly after 6 o'clock and did a great deal of damage in that city, the loss on buildings being estimated at $100,000. It moved northwest and split.

In East Lincoln a number of dwellings were unroofed or moved from foundations and two large factories and an elevator were nearly demolished.

The flood was disastrous at Springfield, and six families barely escaped drowning. Seven dwellings were carried away by the water.

A number of other towns, including Raymond, Blair, Valparaiso, Beaver Crossing, Ashland, Fremont and others received more or less damage.

The telegraph and telephone service was paralyzed.

The local weather bureau has had reports during the past twenty-four hours of seven distinct tornadoes of various degrees of severity.

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NEW YORK GAY WITH BUNTING

Celebrates 250th Anniversary of Her Municipal Government.

New York, May 26.—New York today officially commemorated the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the establishment of municipal government in New Amsterdam, afterwards called by force of a treaty between Holland and England, New York.

The whole city was gay with bunting. The city hall, where the many exercises were held, and city hall park were the center of attraction, the decorations there being specially elaborate. In public schools half a million children took part in special patriotic exercises.

Mayor Low presided over the ceremonies at the city hall and delivered a brief address, referring especially to the city's marvellous growth and the open-handed charity of its people.

General James Grant Wilson, of the New York Historical Society, delivered the oration of the day and was followed by Elihu Root, secretary of war, who prefaced his remarks with a letter from President Roosevelt. After expressing his regrets at his inability to be present, the president wrote:

"The changes in New York city during the 250 years which have just elapsed are such as could be paralleled nowhere else in the world. We now have New York the second largest city of the world, and it is no idle compliment to you and those associated with you, Mr. Mayor, for me to say that there is now no other city, either here or abroad, of whose governing officials its people have more just reason to feel proud."

Addresses also were made by Governor Odell, Judge John Clinton Gray, of the state court of appeals, the Rev. H. Pereira Mendes, rabbi of Congregation Shearith Israel, and Bishop Henry C. Potter, of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of New York. The Right Rev. John M. Farley, archbishop of New York, pronounced the benediction.

FOUR KILLED BY EXPLOSION

Gas Lets Go in Mine--Pathetic Scenes When Victims Are Brought Out.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 26.—Four men killed and two badly burned by an explosion of gas in the mines of the Chartiers Coal and Coke Company at Federal, a mining town near Bridgeville, on the Pittsburg, Chartiers and Youghiogheny railroad today. The mine is but slightly injured.

The dead:

WILLIAM NEILSON, aged 42 years, married; mine boss, residing at Federal.

JAMES NEILSON, nephew of William Neilson, aged 23 years, single, roadman, Federal.

JACOB SALOR, miner, 34 years of age, Federal.

JOS SMUCK, miner, aged 35 years, Federal.

Sixty men were at work in the mine at the time of the explosion, but because of the fact that the accident occurred in a portion of the mine that had not been used for several days, all escaped except four.

The explosion is supposed to have been caused by gas brought about by a blast in the "tunnel" where a dip in the coal roadway was being removed. The tunnel had not been used for several days and gas had accumulated in such a quantity that when the blast was set off explosion resulted. All of the men directly connected with the work were victims. The fire resulting from the explosion was extinguished after two hours of hard work.

The dead miners were horribly burned and when they were brought to the surface the scene was pathetic. Neilson, the mine boss, lived about a stone's throw from the mouth of the pit, and his wife and daughter were among the first to reach the pit. When the burned body of the husband and father was brought out the two women were prostrated and had to be carried away.

Ruhlin and Fergerson Draw.

Bostn, May 26.—The fifteen round bout between Gus Ruhlin of Akron, Ohio, and Sandy Fergueson, of Chelsea, at the Criterian Athletic club tonight was called a draw although Ruhlin outponted his opponent.

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TO STATE ASYLUM TEXAS LOSES GRAY

Alleged Bigamist Will Remain in Georgia.

Texas Sheriff Must Return to Lone Star State Without His Man, Since the Carroll County Lunacy Proceeding Is Upheld.

Bremen, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—The seeming conflict between the executive and judicial department of the state was settled by Governor Terrell issuing an order suspending the requisition granted in the case of Thomas Gray, wanted in Texas for bigamy, until the habeas corpus isued by Judge Bartlette was heard.

The writ of habeas corpus was tried before Judge Barlette at this place today. The habeas corpus was sustained and Thomas Gray was ordered by the court to be carried to the sanitarium at Milledgeville.

It seems from the evidence that about two years ago Gray left his wife and nine children at Temple, in Carroll county, and went to Texas, and while there married the daughter of Mr. Heffner, of Linden, Tex., a prominent and wealthy farmer of that section, and early in this year deserted his wife in Texas and returned to Carroll county.

In a few days the officers were seeking his arrest for the crime committed in Texas.

In February a brother of Gray swore out a writ of lunacy against Thomas Gray before the ordinary of Carroll county and the writ was tried by a justice of the peace and six jurors, finding Gray insane and a subject for the asylum.

Gray was not carried to the sanitarium but was left at the house of his relatives until a few days ago, when he was captured by Officers Spruell and Cobb. Since that time several writs of habeas corpus have been isued, the last of which was tried today and sustained.

The question narrowed down as to whether the writ of lunacy was issued in Carroll county and proceedings thereunder was regular or not, if so he was a ward of the state of Georgia and could not be transferred to another state until he was discharged by the proper authorities.

The courts held that the proceedings from Carroll county were regular. There was great interest in the case because it involved new issues in law and the peculiar position it placed the sheriff of this county in at one time.

Sheriff Shelnutt was served with the writ of habeas corpus and ordered by the court to bring Gray before it, and at the same time Sheriff Henderson, of Texas, was here with a requisition signed by governor Terrell ordering Shelnutt to turn Gray over to him to be carried to Texas. If he turned Gray over to the Texas sheriff he was in contempt of court. If he refused he was in contempt of the governor.

Sheriff Henderson will file orders with the authorities at Milledgeville asking that Gray be held subject to his warrant and will return to Texas without his man.

ELKS GATHER AT BANQUET

District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler the Guest.

The several hundred members of Atlanta Lodge No. 78 and numerous visiting guests who assembled in the banquet hall last evening in honor of the visit of District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler E. L. Martin, of Macon, enjoyed one of the most delightful and brilliant occasions in the history of the order in this city.

Dr. David B. Smith acted as chairman. Upon the platform sat District Deputy Martin, Exalted Ruler Emmett D. Walsh, Reverend S. R. Maxwell, of Valdosta [illegible], General George Millersch, of Terrell, Tex.; Past Exalted M. B. Sharpe and Sam W. Small.

Exalted Ruler Walsh gracefully introduced the district deputy, who was greeted with generous rounds of applause.

The district deputy spoke in glowing terms of the great honor which he experienced in officially visiting "the proud capital city of the grand exalted ruler's native state—far-famed Atlanta, whose busy marts of trade, whose crowded thoroughfares and sky-kissed buildings are enduring monuments to the enterprise of her progressive citizenry."

After discussing specifically the well-known mottoes of the order, Deputy Martin in eloquent language reviewed the fact that the order taught also love of friend, of home, of wife and country. His reference to the contribution made by woman to the advancement of all the great causes having for their object the elevation of man, and the homage that was therefore her just due was very strong and evoked prolonged applause.

His peroration was a striking apostrophe to the American flag, and he declared that if the members of the order would remain true to its teachings they would furnish to the world an alchemy in which hatred would be transmuted into love, tyranny into justice, strife into peace, discord into harmony, and the spirit of fraternity would become the music of the spheres, jewelling the human heart with joy and illuminating time with the fadeless glories of eternity.

"Then," sail he, "the stainless banner of our matchless order, like our country's glorious flag, will wave high above all others and he who would find it must needs look for it aloft."

Rev. S. R. Maxwell, of Valdosta lodge, was next introduced. He said he never failed to commend the order and predicted for it an ever-expanding sphere of usefulness and greatness.

Sam W. Small was the next speaker, and he was in one of his happiest and most delightful moods, paying a high compliment to the character of the order.

General George Millersch, of Terrell, Tex., L. J. Cummings, of Leadville, Colo., and E. R. Lowry, of Atlanta, in response to calls, made delightfully happy talks, which were well received by those present, after which an elegant menu was served and the evening's exercises brought to a close.

District Deputy Martin, in company with a large delegation of Atlanta Lodge No. 78, leaves the city today for Athens, where he is to make an address tonight.

RELIANCE WINS OVER BOTH BOATS

But Constitution Must Still Be Reckoned With.

Columbia Was Beaten Badly, but the Constitution Sailed a Plucky Race and Outsailed Reliance on Two Legs of the Course.

New York, May 26.—In a gamely contested race today the Reliance again led the way across the finish line, winning her second victory over the Columbia and her first over the Constitution.

Two minutes and fifty-one seconds later the Constitution finished, and the crew of the new boat gave her such a cheer as she deserved. The Constitution had sailed a plucky race and had a right to share in the honors. From the start to the finish she had fought out every mile over the 30-mile course and on two of its legs had actually outsailed the new boat, a performance which restored her prestige imperilled by her disappointing showing in the drifting match last Saturday, and makes her a factor to be reckoned with in the selection of a cup defender.

The Columbia was, for the day, outclassed. From the very start she was never for a moment in the race. While the Reliance and Constitution were having it out between themselves all the way around the course, the former cup defender was dragging along miles astern of them and when the Reliance sailed across the finish line the Columbia was more than 2 miles almost dead to leeward. The Reliance beat her by fifteen minutes and fifty-one seconds actual sailing time.

The wind held true at 9 to 12 knots during the race and favored none of the racers. The conditions were ideal for a fair test of the three boats and the race today was devoid of the drifting feature which marred the two earlier races.

How the Course Was Sailed.

The course was twice around a 15-mile triangle, and a 12-knot breeze was snapping the bunting of the yachts at the starting line when the sleek racers gathered there and jockeyed for position. Columbia was dressed in a new suit of sails that set like a glove.

The start at 12:15 p. m. was almost perfect. Reliance and Columbia went across the line side by side with Constitution trailing by nearly half a mile, but to windward. Steadily but very slowly till the first turn Reliance lengthened her lead. The boats turned the first mark as follows:

Reliance, 12:43:05.
Constitution, 12:43:35.
Columbia, 12:45:08.

On the fourth leg the boats had the wind a point freer and Reliance negotiated that leg in twenty-eight minutes and fifty-five seconds, but Constitution gained nearly half a minute on her.

Again on the next leg, Constitution outfooted the new boat, gaining one minute and twenty-one seconds, but she was still one minute and eighteen seconds behind. The wind had shifted, however, until it was nearly to windward to the finish line and Reliance began to gain again, although slowly.

Captain Barr sent his boat across the line while the Constitution was nearly a mile to leeward of it.

The official time was given out as follows:

	Start.	Finish.	Elapsed time.
Reliance	12:15:00	3:12:11	2:57:11
Constitution	12:15:30	3:15:02	2:59:32
Columbia	12:15:00	3:28:02	3:13:02

FAREWELL TO SIR THOMAS.

Toast Drunk to Success of the Cup Challenger.

Greenock, Scotland, May 26.—The corporation of Greenock gave a farewell banquet today to Sir Thomas Lipton. A distinguished company was present and much enthusiasm was manifested. The chairman, Provost Anderson, in toasting Sir Thomas, wished every success. Sir Thomas, replying, said he was convinced the cup challenger was by far the best boat ever built on this side. He believed that if he brought back the cup he would bring with it the friendship of the American people.

HOTTER WEATHER PROMISED.

Hope of Rain Is Again Postponed by Weather Man.

The weather man sat in his office, clad in a shirtwaist and armed with a palm leaf fan, all day yesterday, and when the shades of evening gathered he wrote a forecast promising more hot weather.

"After assiduous inspection of the horizon, after careful study of the reports from various stations all over the United States," said he, sadly, "I see nothing but prospects of warm weather—the same kind of warm weather that is now encouraging profanity."

There were a few mutterings of thunder early yesterday afternoon and occasional banks of gray clouds hid the azure of the sky, but these things were but a collosal bluff and no rain fell. Nor will it fall today, declares the weather man, for his forecast issued yesterday remarks: "Fair tonight and Wednesday."

The temperature yesterday morning at 7 o'clock was 73 degrees, and by the middle of the afternoon, 3 o'clock, it had risen to 89 degrees, which was about the maximum for the day.

House Warming at West Point.

West Point, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—The fraternal orders of West Point publicly inaugurated their new hall in the Lanier building tonight by giving a large banquet to which each member of every lodge invited a guest.

The addresses began at 7 o'clock and an enthusiastic speech was made by the highest officer of each lodge. The new hall is quite an improvement over the one just vacated, as no expense in furnishing it was spared.

The auditorium has twice the floor space of the old one and each fraternity has its suite of ante-rooms. The hall will be in use every night, as it is now the property of the Masons, Knights of Pythias, Red Men, Knights of Honor, and the Pocahontas Society.

Three Return Prizes.

Madrid, May 26.—The Royal Automobile Club has decided to return to the donors the prizes for the Paris-Madrid race.

CONVICT LABOR CAUSES SPLIT

Macon Aldermen Divided Over Putting Criminals On Streets.

By E. C. Bruffey.

Constitution Bureau, 467 Second Street, Macon, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—The special committee named by Mayor Smith at the last meeting of the board of aldermen to dispose of convict labor upon the streets of the Central City presented two reports, a majority and a minority, during the session of the legislative body tonight.

The majority report was the production of Alderman Jones, chairman of the special committee, while the minority report was handed in by Mr. Massee.

Under the laws now existing and a contract between the city of Macon and the state of Georgia the convicts manufactured by the police court are farmed out to Bibb county and the rental in that contract is $3,000 per annum.

Recently Mr. Jones, chairman of the street committee, has manifested an anxiety to place the city zebras upon work on the thoroughfares within the city. This proposition has led to an argument in which not only legislative members and other city officials, but the citizens generally have taken part.

To it more or less opposition has been shown. The majority report submitted by Mr. Jones tonight did not in the least cancel the contract between the city and the county, while it provided that the convicts should work six months of the year upon the streets of Macon and that the other half of the year should be spent on the county's roads.

Mr. Massee's minority report demanded that the county work all roads leading out from Bibb county court house.

"I do not want," said Mr. Chestney, "to ever see uniformed convicts working upon the streets of Macon."

"I suggest," said Mr. Redmond, "that the matter be laid over for the present."

"Macon," said Mr. Happ, "has been sleeping upon its rights too long. The bonded debt of Macon should in reality be upon the county of Bibb and not upon Macon. A great portion of this bonded debt, over which there is now an inclination to make much ado about nothing, was incurred in fixing up the roads of the county, as well as the streets within the city limits. I have studied this question, and an important one, too, it is to every tax payer within the city and county, and the deeper the study the greater is my conviction that Bibb should bear at least an equal portion of this debt. Atlanta, as I am informed, works her convicts upon the streets six months every year. If that is true, why should we be apprehensive of working the convicts on our streets? We work them in Vineville, to all intents and purposes a part of the city of Macon. Then why not work them within the city itself? What we want is our proportion of the taxes paid in by the county of Bibb. Macon itself pays approximately 80 per cent of the money due the state from Bibb, and for that reason Macon should receive a greater proportion by far of this money than Bibb."

"I agree," said Mr. McKenna, "fully with Mr. Happ as to the basis of his argument. But I do not want, under any conditions, to see the convicts, city, county or state, working upon the streets of the city. That would place these service-workers in competition with free labor. The bad roads in the county, and there are enough of them, now keep the farmers away from the city.

Let these convicts improve these roads and give the farmers an easy ingress to the city. If this is done, at no time will the convict have spare moments to exhibit his striped apparel to the pedestrians within the city itself. I recall the time when free labor, working zealously and earnestly for daily bread was compelled to work alongside the negro who wore the uniform of his imprisonment. And it is my nightly prayer never to observe this picture again.

"The assessed value by the officers of Bibb county, as a county, is $17,000,000," said Mr. Jones. "By the same officials the value fixed upon the property within the city itself is $14,000,000. By the laws of the state Macon now has a bonded indebtedness reaching every penny the laws of the state allow. The question as to the payment of this money narrows itself down to Macon or Bibb county when the employment of free labor is taken into consideration."

At times the argument was warm and spirited, but the question was finally disposed of by postponing a further consideration until a subsequent meeting of the body legislative.

While working upon the reports of committees that ordinance prohibiting the promiscuous scattering of patent medicines presented by Alderman Sloan at the last meeting was called up. The ordinance was adopted.

An ordinance providing for the improvement of College street as a street and for sidewalks on the sides of cement stone or vitrified brick, as the property owners may select, provided that the material used is in conformity with the city laws and that the work is done under the direction of City Engineer Wilcox, was presented and given a consideration upon the adoption of a motion by Mr. Jones to suspend the rules. After a short debate the ordinance was adopted.

The ordinance provides for drains under the sidewalks and directs the chief of police to serve notice on property owners who do not comply with the ordinance within the time designated by the law as adopted.

A number of petitions for paving and other matters of particular interest to certain localities were presented and referred to the appropriate committees.

The committee on public property was made the custodian of a petition from the Macon Driving Club for the use of the mile track at the Central City park on July 4 next.

A city league of baseball clubs asked for a lease of the Central City park grounds, and the question was referred to the appropriate committee, but before the reference there was an animated discussion. Mr. Burwick opposed the petition, declaring that he himself favored the game and was willing to allow all ball teams a chance at the grounds. Mr. Massee, while showing himself an advocate of baseball, wanted to refuse the petition, as he did not wish to put the ball grounds up to the highest bidder. The ordinance was referred to the standing committee on public property.

The chamber of commerce sent in a copy of resolutions opposing the encroachments for building purposes and the communication was ordered filed in the clerk's office.

Judge Speer Working on Speech.

Macon, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—Judge Speer is now occupying his leisure time these warm summer days in preparing an address he is to make at the commencement of Emory college, Oxford, on Tuesday, June 9. The judge is to speak in the morning at 11 o'clock and he has chosen for his theme "The Life and Character of General Robert E. Lee." General Fizhugh Lee, nephew, and General G. W. C. Lee, son of the illustrious subject, have both furnished Judge Speer important documents from their libraries, and Secretary of War Elihu Root and General A. W. Greely have placed at Judge Speer's command the resources of the war department library in Washington.

Bound Over for Burglary.

Macon, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—A few nights ago the residence of J. M. Johnson, on Boundary and Third streets, was burglarized and quite a valuable lot of goods were carried away. The burglary was reported at police headquarters and this morning a negro arrested was identified by Mrs. Johnson as the invader of her home. It appears that Mrs. Johnson was aroused during the time the burglar was in the house by a noise, and by the aid of a gas jet burning saw a negro she positively identified as Alex Folsom. The negro made a complete denial of the charge against him, but Judge Freeman sent him on to the superior court to answer to the charge of burglary.

Vineville Matter Not Up.

Macon, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—The annexation of Vineville, a question discussed vigorously and frequently throughout this section within the past year, did not come to the front tonight, as was generally expected.

The destructive fire last week in that suburb made apparent the inability of the citizens to cope with a conflagration and within the past few days it has been generally understood that the annexation question would arise during this session of council.

It is well known that the residents of Vineville have given the matter a study since the destructive fire of last week and every member of the council had, because of individual approaches, expected a presentation of a paper.

It seems that the Vineville property owners, however, have not reached a conclusion as to a basis on which they are willing to come in, and the much anticipated proposition from the suburban people did not materialize. There was a large audience greatly disappointed when an adjournment was moved without an intimation of annexation on the part of Vineville.

INDIANA EDICT AGAINST NEGRO

Dearborn County Farmers Are Driving Them Out.

Determined War Upon the Race as Result of Murder of Anna Kaiser. Negro Laborers Notified To Leave Railroad Construction Work.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 26.—(Special.)—Farmers in Dearborn and adjoining counties are making a determined war upon negroes as a result of the murder of Miss Anna Kaiser.

Many families have been ordered to leave and negroes employed by farmers are being discharged. It is estimated that 100 negroes have been driven out of the rural districts of Dearborn county alone in the last three days.

Today a committee of farmers, headed by Martin J. Kaiser, Jr., brother of the murdered girl, waited upon the superintendent of the Big Four construction work at Guilford and notified him that the negroes employed by him must leave. He said that he would meet with the farmers and conform to any demands they would make, but if the negroes were discharged work would have to cease, as it is impossible to get white men.

YOUTH LEADS LONG CHASE.

Bradley Escapes from Reformatory, out Is Finally Captured.

Dan Bradley, a 16-year-old white youth, escaped from the Fulton county reformatory yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock and after a chase of several hours was captured early last night on Larkin street by E. B. Parks, a guard at the reformatory.

As soon as the escape was discovered, Guard Parks started out in pursuit of the youth, at times being close behind him. The chase continued throughout the remainder of the afternoon and finally terminated in the capture of Bradley. He was taken to the police station and will be kept there until today, when he will be returned to the reformatory. Bradley was sent to the institution about two months ago.

BURIED UNDER CAVING BANK.

Two Boys Meet Sudden Death While at Play.

Lexington, Tenn., May 26.—Two sons of William Stewart, aged, respectively, 9 and 14 years, living near Stegall, 8 miles from here, disappeared Friday afternoon. Sunday their bodies were found buried in the sand in a deep gulch, where a caving bank had caught them at play.

Shorter Line to Denver.

El Paso, Tex., May 26.—Senator W. H. Andrews, president of the Santa Fe Central, says the Denver and Rio Grande will operate into El Paso over this line and the El Paso and Northeastern, opening a shorter line to Denver and the northwest.

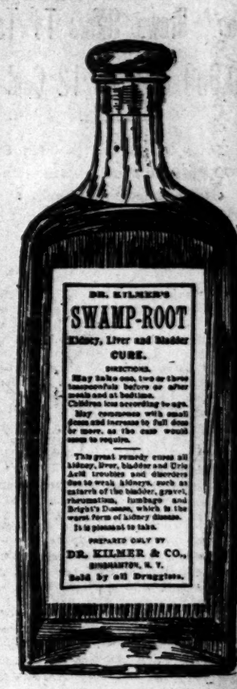
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No matter how many doctors you may have tried—no matter how much money you may have spent on other medicines, you really owe it to yourself to at least give Swamp-Root a trial. Its stanchest friends today are those who had almost given up hope of ever becoming well again.

If you are already convinced that Swamp-Root is what you need you can purchase the regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles at the drug stores everywhere. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root—Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

EDITORIAL NOTE—If you have the slightest symptoms of kidney or bladder troubles, or if there is a trace of it in your family history, send at once to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., who will gladly send you by mail, immediately, without cost to you, a sample bottle of Swamp-Root, and a book containing many of the thousands upon thousands of testimonial letters received from men and women cured. In writing, be sure to say that you read this generous offer in The Atlanta Daily Constitution.

ENGLISH MILLS TO SHUT DOWN

Because of Grave Condition of Affairs in Cotton Trade.

London, May 26.—A mass meeting of Lancashire cotton spinners was held today to discuss the trade situation. The meeting indorsed the action of the federation of Manchester cotton spinners, which on May 15 adopted this resolution:

"In view of the grave condition of affairs in the cotton trade, we recommend that the whole trade stop for one week at whitsuntide and on Saturdays and Mondays thereafter until further notice."

It was also decided to hold another mass meeting after the holidays to consider what further action should be taken.

FORCED RYAN TO GIVE $5,000

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agreements in said letter contained, then such action will be taken as the circumstances demand and the department deems proper.

"Yours respectfully,
"G. A. C. CHRISTIANCY,
"Acting Assistant Attorney General for Postoffice Department."

No Warrant for Ryan.

The "D. V. M." indicates that the letter was dictated by Miller.

No warrant will be issued for Ryan, who has not only made a full statement to the inspectors, but also furnished copies of letters and telegrams. The originals of all telegrams and letters between Ryan and Johns, and also those of Washington officials, are here in the hands of the postoffice inspectors, who claim to have a complete chain of evidence for District Attorney Bundy to present to the next federal grand jury.

Ryan says he was told that if he put up $25,000 for a certain senator that the postal department would stand by him, but that he declined the proposition.

Johns Gives Bond.

Terre Haute, Ind., May 26.—Joseph H. Johns, who is charged with complicity in the Miller-Ryan postal scandal, was arrested at Rockville last night. Mr. Johns was arraigned before Commissioner Higgins at noon and gave bond for $1,500 for his appearance before Federal Judge Anderson at Indianapolis June 25. His bond was signed by several citizens of Rockville. He refused to make any statement. The warrant under which he was arraigned charged conspiracy to receive personal compensation for services to divers persons in which the United States was interested.

COAL BARONS TO BE PRESSED

Interstate Commerce Commission Petitions Against Them.

Washington, May 26.—Tuesday afternoon, June 2, Judge E. H. Lacombe, of the United States circuit court for the southern district of New York, will hear the petition of the interstate commerce commission against the officials of the anthracite coal carrying railroads and their witnesses, who at the recent hearing before the commission refused to answer certain inquiries and produce certain contracts and documents.

The petition of the commonwealth was prepared by District Attorney Burnett, of New York, to compel those against whom it is directed to answer the questions and produce the documents. It was signed by the commission today and forwarded to General Burnett. It will be filed in the circuit court tomorrow. Copies of the petition will be served upon the recalcitrant witnesses who are named as follows:

George F. Baer, W. R. Taylor, W. G. Brown, Samuel L. Peters, G. O. Waterman, Eben B. Thomas, David G. Baird, G. A. Richardson, Orlando C. Post, William H. Truesdale, Fred E. Chambers, R. D. Rickard, E. B. Sturges and E. C. Hebbard. All of them are railroad officials except Mr. Hebbard, who is secretary of the Guaranty Trust Company of New York.

Mrs. Jane Duncan, Clayton, Ga.

Clayton, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—Mrs. Jane Duncan, wife of D. T. Duncan, died at her home here Sunday night and was buried Monday afternoon at 6 o'clock. Mrs. Duncan was about 70 years old. She is survived by her husband and nine children, seven girls and two boys, all of whom attended the funeral services Monday afternoon. D. T. Duncan, the husband of the deceased, has been a prominent man in public affairs in Rabun county, having been its representative in the legislature. He has also held the offices of sheriff and postmaster, of which latter office he is the incumbent.

His Arduous Duties.

New York Times: Captain Sigsbee tells of a conversation he once overheard between two marines who were arguing as to who had the least work to do on board of a man of war.

"It's the chaplain," said the first.

"How'd ye make that out?" asked the second.

"Because he ain't got no work to do and all day to do it in."

The second marine snorted his disgust.

"You ain't got it right, Jack," said he. "It's the cap'n of marines."

"How's that?"

"Well, me boy, as you say, the chaplain's got nothin' to do and all day to do it in; but the cap'n of marines he ain't got anything to do and all day to do it in and a lieutenant of marines to help him do it."

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HIGH BIDS MADE TO GET COTTON

"King" Brown Offers To Take 20,000 Bales at 12 Cents.

But Not a Single Contract for Even 100 Bales Is Fired at Him—Excitement Seems To Be Over in the New York Market.

New Orleans, May 26.—W. P. Brown, the local bull leader in the cotton market, who has just returned from a visit to New York, this morning bid August up to 12 cents at the opening of the market. This was an advance of 21 points above the closing of yesterday. He offered to take everything all the way from 11.78, the closing figures of yesterday, to 12 cents. When that mark was reached he bid for 20,000 bales, but not a single contract for even 100 bales was fired at him.

All months took on substantial gains, but August went higher than other options and established a new record for the season. The advances were based on favorable Liverpool cables and unfavorable crop reports together with the general expectation that the weekly report issued by the department of agriculture at 11 o'clock this morning would be decidedly bullish. The bidding of the long side for large amounts of cotton naturally boosted prices also.

New York Market Active.

New York, May 26.—Trading was fairly active in the cotton market at the opening today, but there was comparatively little of the rush and excitement that has marked the last two weeks. While the movement continued heavy and the weather more recently has been considered more favorable, the market opened firm at a decline of 2 points on May to an advance of 11 points with the new crop months again exhibiting the greatest strength. Speculation early was quite general, the transactions being in smaller lots, but coming from a greater number of sources. Europe, the south and commission houses bought the late months on the theory that the weekly bureau report due at noon would make a bullish showing, while there is also a disposition to look for a bullish monthly report of June 3.

There was a reaction of 5 or 6 points from the best prices of the morning under profit-taking and when the weekly bureau report, which at first sight seemed less bullish than expected, was published, those losses were slightly increased. But the details of the report proved less favorable than had been gathered from the summary and new crop shorts covered, rallying those positions sharply.

Improvement in Stock Market.

An improvement in the stock market which was generally sustained throughout the forenoon today was followed in the early afternoon by a renewal of the recent selling movement in Rock Island. Large lots of the stock were pressed for sale by several leading brokerage firms and this caused a break in the rest of the list. No specific explanation accompanied the renewal of the attack on Rock Island. In the last hour the market recovered Buying of a good character stimulated the active list and the market became generally stronger all round with closing prices for some issues the best of the day.

Tobacco Plant for Negroes.

Richmond, Va., May 26.—In line with the policy enunciated by Booker T. Washington at the negro convention held here a few months ago a large factory for the manufacture of all kinds of tobacco, to be constructed and operated exclusively by negroes, is to be started here in the near future. This is to be one of a number of industrial enterprises, the directors of which as well as the operatives throughout are to be negroes. It is reported that Andrew Carnegie is backing Booker Washington in these enterprises.

McCOACH RETURNS TO FORT.

Lieutenant Who Broke Parole Goes Back to Custody.

Old Point, Va., May 26.—Lieutenant David McCoach returned to Fort Monroe today and surrendered. He said that he had been in Newport News and Richmond during his absence from the fort.

Lieutenant McCoach was in custody at Old Point, pending trial for conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman when he broke parole.

At the fort it was stated that Lieutenant McCoach will stand court-martial for his alleged misconduct.

St. George Tucker Chosen.

Washington, May 26.—Hon. Henry St. George Tucker, of Lexington, Va., today was selected dean of the school of law, jurisprudence and diplomacy of the Columbian university in this city.

BLIND PUPILS MAKE CHARGES

Complaint Against Principal of Academy for the Blind.

Governor Terrell received yesterday a rather unusual communication inclosed with a letter signed by J. J. Childs and G. Paul Donehoo, evidently two of the inmates and pupils of the Academy for the Blind at Macon, in which certain charges are made by twenty-four of the pupils of that institution against Principal Conner, who is in charge.

The communication in question is addressed to the trustees of the institution and covers four printed pages. In it charges of incompetency and mismanagement are made against the principal, and many alleged instances are cited in support of these complaints. The communication goes into many details and is signed by twenty-four of the pupils of the academy.

Recently Governor Terrell appointed a board of visitors to the academy and the letter was written, it seems, to inform the governor that a copy of the communication had been addressed to each member of this board. It is also asked that the board visit the institution before June 10, the date of the closing exercises, and make a complete investigation of the charges, and the request is made that, if he sees fit and proper, the governor make special mention of the institution in his annual message to the legislature. The letter asks that the governor give his approval to the course the pupils of the institution have taken.

It is stated in the letter that while the matter has been brought to the attention of the trustees, no action has as yet been taken by that body. Governor Terrell has not yet replied to the communication.

Killed by Brothers in Law.

Evergreen, Ala., May 26.—(Special.)—Dr. Shirley, of Monroe county, was killed by his two brothers in law, Dave and James Smith, last ninght. The families are prominent. More than twenty killings have occurred in that county in the past two years, many of them murders, but there have been few convictions.

SKIES RAIN FISH IN NORTH STATE

Hail Stones Weighing Half a Pound Found After Storm.

Winston-Salem, N. C., May 26.—(Special.)—That portion of this county lying six miles west of this city was visited yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock by one of the most remarkable and destructive hail storms within the memory of the oldest inhabitants.

It is doubtful if this storm was ever equalled in this or any other section for size of the hailstones and in the phenomena that small fish, perch variety, fell with the hail and some were incased in the stones. Buckets full of hailstones were brought into the city this morning and some of them, after lying in the sun that followed in the afternoon and all night, measured six and one-half inches in circumference and weighed eight ounces each.

The roofs of several houses were totally wrecked while others had holes beaten in them through which a boy could crawl.

Cattle were badly bruised, several pigs were killed and fowls, both young and old, were crushed; window glass and shutters were destroyed, the growing gain was beaten into the ground and ruined and several people were injured.

The storm covered an area of a mile or more in width and lasted for twenty minutes, followed by rain.

AUGUSTA MAKES LAST MOVE.

Party of Citizens To Wait on Governor Today.

Augusta, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—The final move for the encampment at Augusta will be made by a strong delegation of Augusta citizens tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock in the office of Governor J. M. Terrell in Atlanta.

A delegation, composed of the following prominent citizens among others, left for Atlanta tonight: Judge William F. Eve; Mayor Jacob Phinizy, Hon. R. E. Allen, Senator J. Rice Smith, James B. Walker, president of the chamber of commerce; Maurice Walton, vice president of the chamber of commerce; Colonel R. Usher Thomason, commanding the Third Georgia.

The party went up in General Manager Scott's private car.



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NO STRYCHNINE IN HIS STOMACH

Widow of Wiley Tanner Released After Coroner's Inquest.

Gainesville, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—Coroner Dorsey returned tonight from Clinchem district, where he has been all day making an investigation into the death of Wiley Tanner, who died under suspicious circumstances Saturday last.

Many witnesses were sworn before the coroner's jury and the entire day was consumed in trying to get at the facts in the case. Dr. K. A. Smith, one of the physicians who analyzed Tanner's stomach yesterday, testified that he found no evidence of strychnine in it.

Mrs. Tanner, wife of the young man who died, was herself sworn and testified to receiving 10 cents' worth of strychnine from a Gainesville druggist, which she swore was purchased to kill a dog and for which purpose the poison was used.

She denied that she had confessed to poisoning her husband, though several witnesses swore that she had stated in answer to questions immediately after her husband's death that she had done so.

No evidence was brought out that she and her husband had ever quarreled or had bitter disagreements, but on the other hand it was shown that they had lived apparently happily together.

After hearing from all the witnesses the coroner's jury rendered a verdict to the effect that Tanner came to his death in a manner unknown to the jury, and they recommended that his body be exhumed and his stomach, bladder and kidneys be taken by the coroner to the state chemist and analyzed by him.

Mrs. Tanner, who has been kept under guard since the former inquest, was released from custody by the coroner tonight.

MANY FANATICS SLAIN IN FIGHT

Lieutenant Javier's Small Force Defeated 200 Insurgents.

Manila, May 26.—Lieutenant Javier, commanding a force of constabulary and volunteers, has defeated 200 fanatical insurgents in the island of Cebu, killing sixty-eight of them and capturing twenty-nine. The fight occurred in the mountains near Tabogon.

No details have been received and the government losses are not known.

FIGHT UNDERGROUND WIRES.

Columbus Companies Claim Expense Will Be Too Great.

Columbus, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—Representatives of the telegraph, telephone, street railway and electric light and power companies met with Mayor Chappell, the members of the street committee of council, and other alderman this afternoon and voiced their objection to the ordinance now pending in council and which is to be acted upon in June, which, if adopted, will result in all wires in the business district of Columbus going underground with the exception of trolley wires. The conference today was held to give the companies an opportunity to present their side.

The Columbus Railroad Company representatives said it would mean bankruptcy to their company, claiming that the cost to them of underground wires in the business section alone would amount to $48,200. This company furnished the street and inside lighting. The representatives of the telegraph companies said that the adoption of the ordinance would mean the abolition of the call bell system.

The representatives of the Electric Light and Power Company intimated that the people would have to "pay the freight," as it would mean higher rates.

To Install Eminent Commander.

St. Aldemar commandery, No. 3, Knights Templar, will on next Friday night, with imposing ceremonies, install Eminent Grand Commander G. B. Whiteside to that office, the highest in the power of the Knights Templar of Georgia to confer. Captain Whiteside, by reason of illness was unable to attend the recent meeting of the grand commandery at Rome, at which he was elected eminent grand commander. J. K. Orr, of Atlanta, a member of St. Aldemar commandery, will act as deputy grand commander on this occasion, and will conduct the installation ceremonies It will be an extraordinary event with St. Aldemar commandery.

School Girls as Cooks.

This afternoon the graduating class in cooking in the manual training and domestic training department of the public schools gave their annual luncheon. The young girls prepared the luncheon without any aid or suggestions from their teacher, Miss Deacon. It was delightfully prepared, and served in dainty fashion. The luncheon for six guests cost only 60 cents, and yet the menu, while not elaborate, was substantial. The guests were R. A. Carson, president of the school board; C. B. Gibson, superintendent of the schools; L. A. Scarbrough, of the school board; R. A. Ryder, principal of the Sixteenth street school; J. M. Britt and W. C. Woodall.

FIRE COMPANIES MUST QUIT STATE

Texas Bars Fifty-Nine Foreign Companies.

One Texas Company To Lose Charter. Alleged Combination of Companies To Fix Rates in Austin Cause of Action Against Underwriters.

Austin, Texas, May 26.—Attorney General Bell today filed a suit in behalf of the state of Texas in the district court against fifty-nine foreign fire insurance companies for forfeiture of their permit to do business in Texas and against one state company for a forfeiture of its charter and the appointment of a receiver to wind up its affairs.

The grounds for these suits are that they entered into an agreement to fix and maintain rates of fire insurance in the city of Austin in violation of the anti-trust act passed at the recent session of the legislature, which act prohibits the combination of capital.

It is claimed that this alleged unlawful agreement was entered into prior to April 1 of this year. It is also alleged that an eastern fire insurance company furnished each fire insurance company doing business in Austin with a rating sheet of each house in this city and that this rating sheet was accepted and adopted by all three companies. Instances are cited in support of this allegation.

In addition to the forfeiture of the permits of the foreign companies to do business in Texas and the cancellation of the charter of the home company, penalties aggregating $2,800 from each company are sued for, the daily penalty being $50 per day for each company.

WESTERN PARTY REACHES CITY

"Salt Lake Special" Came in Yesterday Afternoon.

The party of western conductors and their wives and children, touring the country on the "Salt Lake Special" arrived in Atlanta on time yesterday afternoon and were royally entertained by the Atlanta division of the Order of Railway Conductors and the ladies' auxiliary.

The special, a train of five coaches, a dining car, baggage car and three sleepers, carrying in all ninety-nine persons, reached Atlanta over the Southern Railway from Chattanooga at 2:40 o'clock and the visitors remained in this city until 11:20 last night, when they departed for Montgomery.

A committee of local conductors and a committee from the ladies' auxiliary met the special in Rome and acted as an escort for the visitors the remainder of the journey to Atlanta. The committees were as follows:

Conductors—Captain Zach Martin, chairman; M. G. Wait, W. T. Dillard, E. A. Warwick, E. S. Fairbanks and J. C. Cannon.

Ladies' Auxiliary—Mesdames C. D. Knight, Ted Minnahan, J. W. Rose, R. F. Cox, J. A. Eidson, Z. Martin, J. A. Ham, T. T. Stevens and D. S. Walraven.

On the arrival of the special in Atlanta the visitors boarded trolley cars and rode over the city, including Piedmont park, the Atlanta Brewing and Ice Company plant, the federal prison and other places of interst in their itinerary.

At 8 o'clock a dinner was served at the Piedmont, which was attended by about 200 guests, visitors and local conductors and their wives and families. Captain Zach Martin acted as toastmaster and brief speeches were made by Rev. Sam Small, Captain D. M. Vining, Captain L. D. Cummings, of Leadville, Colo., and others. From the Piedmont the visitors were escorted to their train.

The party on the special is making a tour of the country in a specially chartered train, the trip following the twenty-ninth annual convention of the National Order of Railway Conductors, which met in Pittsburg, May 12. The various railroads are transporting the special free over their different lines and the tourists are stopping at almost every important point in the east and south. The following is a complete list of the tourists:

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Barker, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bentley, Billings, Mont.
Mr. B. J. Brown, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Coykendall, LaGrande, Oregon.
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cahill, Ogden, Utah.
W. S. Clemons, Sacramento, Cal.
Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Cummings, Leadville, Colo.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Coulton, Ogden, Utah.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Drake, Billings, Mont.
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dolan, San Francisco, Cal.
Mr and Mrs. W. T. Engles, Pocatello, Idaho.
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fife, Glenns Ferry, Idaho.
Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Gillilan, Sacramento, Cal.
E. F. Givens, Sacramento, Cal.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Grom, Leadville, Colo.
E. J. Hawkins, Colorado Springs, Colo.
Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hawley, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Henderson, Sacramento, Cal.
Mr. and Mrs. William Hood, Sacramento, Cal.
Mr. and Mrs. C. Hughart, Pocatello, Idaho.
Miss Clare Kenyon, Denver, Colo.
E. Kimball, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Miss Ruby Knowlton, Salt Lake City, Utah.
George L. Korner, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Dan Lord, Sacramento, Cal.
John Lord, Sacramento, Cal.
Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Miller and Master Raymond, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Mrs. William Middleton, Ogden, Utah.
Miss Edna Earl Middleton, Ogden, Utah.
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Molter, Sacramento, Cal.
George P. Morgan, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McCullow, Salt Lake City, Utah.
E. E. Dyer, St. Louis, and P. O. Pierce and wife, Chicago.

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DROPPED DEAD AFTER SPEECH

Judge Bonifay Meets Sudden Death in Pensacola.

Pensacola, Fla., May 26.—Judge Frank P. Bonifay, after delivering a heated address in the city campaign, dropped dead last night just as he was leaving the platform. The exertion and excitement caused his death. Hundreds of people had listened to the speech. After thanking the audience for its attention he turned and fell to the ground. The meeting was immediately adjourned.

Judge Bonifay was one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Pensacola. He was 66 years old and was born here, as was his father.

New York Exchange Way Up.

Mexico City, May 26.—Bankers were selling New York exchange today at 155 premium.

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Baltimore, Md.	$20.70.	Annual Meeting Grand Lodge, B. & P. O. E., July 21-23rd.
Detroit, Mich.	$21 80.	International Epworth League Convention, July 16th-19th.
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For further information please call on any Agent of the Southern Railway, or address

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DROVE SWORD THROUGH MAN

Private's Failure To Salute Cost Him His Life.

Ensign Who Did the Killing Sentenced to Four Years Imprisonment and Degradation—Hussner Says Honor Forced Him To Kill.

Berlin, May 26.—The attention of Germany is centered on the public court-martial of Naval Ensign Hussner for killing with his sword Artilleryman Hartsmann, which was held today at Kiel before five judges. Hussner's replies to the president's questions were straightforward. He said that while regretting that his sword strokes killed the artilleryman, he affirmed that he acted within the service instructions, and that he was obliged by honor to compel obedience. Hussner claimed Hartmann did not salute him properly.

"But," said the president, "you said you never drew your weapon without using it?"

"Yes," replied the prisoner, "it is so ordered in the regulations."

"You were seen loosening your sword before Hartmann left your side," continued the president.

"Yes," the prisoner answered, "I thought of ——." Here Hussner mentioned the name of an officer who, after having been struck by a private, was obliged to resign because he was unable to loosen his sword and the private, who was not identified, ran away.

Hussner admitted that he became interested at the police station, immediately after the killing of Hartmann, in discussion over the different classes of shoulder straps.

The impression made by the prolonged examination of Hussner on the hearers was that the action was the result of the system of training on material which was dull, though passionate, and which affected the mind filled with exaggerated ideas of honor.

Hussner was sentenced to four years and one week's imprisonment and to degradation.

SUPREME COURT HEARS CASE.

Wilcox Again Denies That He Murdered Nellie Cropsey.

Raleigh, N. C., May 26.—The appeal in the case of James Wilcox, sentenced in March, 1902, to be hanged and on appeal sentenced in January, 1903, to thirty years in prison, for the murder of Miss Ella Cropsey at Elizabeth City, N. C., was again heard by the supreme court today. The appeal was prosecuted in forma pauperis.

E. F. Aydlett, of Elizabeth City, and W. M. Bond, of Edenton, appeared for Wilcox and Attorney General R. D. Gilmer for the state. The plea for a new trial was based mainly upon the point that there has never been evidence enough against Wilcox for the case to go to the jury and that the judge should have so directed. Other contentions were that there was enough evidence tending to show suicide, thus wrapping the matter in doubt as to murder having been committed, and that the expert testimony of certain physicians was improperly admitted in the trial of the case on account of the fact that the said physicians had not qualified themselves as experts. Another question discussed was the admission of a certain map or diagram showing the harbor of the Pasquotank river, the Cropsey home and the point in the river where the body was found.

The state contended that Wilcox killed Ella Cropsey by a blow on the left temple and threw her body into the river, and in the appeal the attorney general argued against all the contentions of the defense.

The supreme court has the matter under advisement and it will be some days, perhaps weeks, before an opinion is rendered.

CAVALRY FAVORS GRIFFIN.

Mayor Bailey and Alderman Mangham Return from Savannah.

Griffin, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—Mayor David J. Bailey and Alderman John W. Mangham returned this morning from Savannah, where they went in the interest of Griffin to secure, if possible, the cavalry regiment, of which Colonel Meldrim is commander, for Camp Northen.

The Savannah soldiers, according to Mayor Bailey, are very much opposed to camping at Meldrim or any place in south Georgia. They want to come to some point in north Georgia in order to have a change of climate and of scene and they are even willing to come as dismounted cavalry in order to attain their wishes.

Most of them spoke favorably of Griffin and seemed anxious to come here if the matter can be arranged.

SUDDEN DEATH FOR THREE MEN

Three Prominent Citizens Drop Dead in South Carolina.

Abbeville, S. C., May 26.—(Special.)—P. M. Taylor, a white farmer, 40 years old, fell dead in his garden Sunday near Antreville, in this county.

Dr. John A. Robinson, a prominent physician near Due West, fell dead from his chair this morning. He reached home yesterday afternoon from the confederate reunion at New Orleans. This morning he left the breakfast table, walked into the sitting room, sat down and instantly fell to the floor dead.

Ed Gordon, 18 years old, fell dead this morning at the home of his father, 2 miles from Due West.

DR. OCTAVIUS WHITE IS DEAD.

Born in the South and a Yellow Fever Expert.

New York, May 26.—Dr. Octavius A. White, a famous yellow fever expert, is dead at his home in this city in the seventieth year of his age. While a surgeon in the confederate army Dr. White was sent in the union lines at Goldsboro, N. C., to treat northern soldiers afflicted with yellow fever and in the confederate prison at Florence, S. C., he won the love of many union men by his kindness during a similar performance.

He was born in Charleston, S. C., on February 8, 1826, and was graduated by the College of Charleston in 1846 and by the South Carolina Medical college twenty-two years later. He began and continued his practice with success until the opening of the civil war, when he received the commission of surgeon in the confederate army. At the close of the war he moved to New York, where he lived until his death.

Dr. White made several important medical inventions.

BANK MAY BE REORGANIZED.

Stockholders of City Bank of Greenwood Hold Meeting.

Columbia, S. C., May 26.—(Special.)—The first meeting of the stockholders of the City bank of Greenwood, which suspended payment a few days ago, was held yesterday.

The committee of three appointed by the directors to look into the affairs of the bank made its report. The report states that if the bank were to be liquidated at once the stockholders would get 55 per cent or upwards of their stock after depositors and creditors had been paid in full.

Several propositions were made the stockholders by neighboring banks, but none of them was made public. It is believed the bank will be reorganized and continue business.

MAY GO TO FEDERAL COURT.

United States Jury May Indict Ernest Haywood.

Raleigh, N. C., May 26.—(Special.)—The federal court has convened here. Judge Thomas R. Purnell making special mention in his charge of crimes committed on government property and this has given occasion to considerable gossip because there is a difference of opinion as to whether Ernest Haywood was standing on the part of the sidewalk owned by the United States or the city in front of the postoffice when he killed Ludlow Skinner.

Judge Purnell said any crime committed on government land was punishable in the United States courts, hence the bare possibility of the federal grand jury taking up the Haywood case is causing some talk.

RAILS SPREAD, TWO KILLED.

Chesapeake and Ohio Passenger Left Track on Curve.

Charlottesville, Va., May 26.—The Chesapeake and Ohio local passenger train, east-bound for Richmond, was wrecked 1 mile east of Charlottesville at 4 o'clock this afternoon by the spreading of the rails at a sharp curve.

The train was a half hour late and was endeavoring to regain lost time. Two persons were killed, T. D. Hall, of Richmond, Va., the engineer, and Charles Snyder, of Richmond, Va., fireman of the wrecked train.

No one was seriously injured, but some persons suffered bruises. The engine is a complete wreck. The mail coach and two passenger coaches were demolished.

Thomas J. White Made Receiver.

Griffin, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—W. H. Austin, who has been conducting a large dry goods and notions business in Griffin for some time, was forced into involuntary bankruptcy yesterday afternoon by Atlanta creditors and Thomas J. White was appointed receiver by Judge Newman. A. J. Burr is the largest creditor, being secured by mortgages to the extent of $4,000. The liabilities are $7,500 and assets are about $6,700.

NO REMARRIAGE AFTER DIVORCE

Strong Resolutions by the Southern General Assembly.

Assembly, However, Declines To Send Delegate to Conference on Divorce and Remarriage—Proceedings of Both Assemblies.

Lexington, Va., May 26.—The session of the southern Presbyterian assembly this morning was addressed by Rev. Dr. John Balcom Sschaw, of New York, a member of the committee to forward the evangelistic movement in the northern Presbyterian assembly in the interest of that cause.

The overtures from the synods of Tennessee, Alabama and Missouri and the Presbyteries of Maryland, Brazos, Fort Worth and Red river, for closer relations with the Reformed church of America, were reported with the recommendations that the assembly appoint a committee of conference, whenever the reformed church should indicate its readiness to receive the committee and the report was adopted.

Dr. J. R. Graham was appointed delegate to lay the matter before the reform church.

Upon the recommendation of the auditing committee the bequest of Miss Stuart, of Alexandria, was placed to the credit of the endowment fund for ministerial relief. The request of the Presbyterian Society of Philadelphia for historical papers relating to the assembly was agreed to.

Telegrams of fraternal greetings were received from the Cumberland Presbyterian assembly and the northern Presbyterian assembly.

Upon the recommendation of the foreign correspondence committee the assembly declined to appoint a committee for cooperation with similar committees of allied bodies and declined to appoint a delegate to the joint conference on divorce and remarriage. Strong resolutions were adopted against the remarriage of divorsed persons. The assembly then recessed until afternoon.

Dr. Theron Rice's Address.

At the afternoon session an address on Christian education was delivered by Rev. Dr. Theron H. Rice, of Atlanta, Ga., to one of the largest congregations yet assembled during the assembly.

The special committee appointed to consider the anti-saloon league's communication asking the assembly to send delegates to its national convention next December in Washington in a report expressed full sympathy for the league's object, but said the assembly as a spiritual organization, which does not affiliate with secular organizations, could not comply with the league's request wthout departing from established practice and that there is not sufficient reason for such a departure in this instance. The report was adopted.

The New Orleans Presbytery in an overture to the assembly asked that no change be made in the confession of faith. The assembly finally, after a heated debate, participated in by a large number of commissioners, neither adopted nor denied the overture.

The Pee Dee Presbytery submitted an overture that a list of all ministers receiving a salary under $900 be ascertained. The assembly recommended that this be done by the Presbyteries of the assembly and that steps be taken so that an increase in salary may be made.

The Presbytery of north Alabama, in an overture, asked at what time baptized non-communicants be dropped from church rolls, if ever. The secreatry answered that there was no authority for a time when they should be dropped and adopted a report that Presbyteries instruct churches to keep rolls of baptized non-communicants and report to these Presbyteries.

The committee on ministerial relief then made its report through the Rev. Henry Moore. The report showed much reason for encouragement and said that the church was in accord with the times and that aged ministers will be cared for as they have not been in the past. The section relative to changes of tiomes for collection for this purpose was referred to the committee on systematic beneficence. Tonight a popular meeting in the interest of foreign missions was held. Addresses were made by Rev. H. F. Williams, of Nashville, editor of The Missionary, and Dr. S. H. Chester, of Nashville, secretary of foreign missions. The latter's address was illustrated by views of foreign lands, showing the missionary and his people in all phases.

The Cumberland Presbyterians.

Nashville, Tenn., May 26—The general assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian church met in adjourned session this morning and upon the conclusion of the devotional exercises an address on temperance was delivered by Mrs. Bettie Mayo, who called attention to the fact that the lessons on temperance had been incorporated into the international Sunday school lessons through the work of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, and that congress had enacted laws requiring the teaching of the effects of alcohol and other narcotics in the public schools of the country through the solicitation of the same organizatin.

Mrs. Mayo appealed for a more friendly relation between all good people and especially among the ministry.

The report of the ways and means committee recommended that the general assembly adhere to the present plan of self-entrtainment and it was adopted. The assembly also adopted a report protesting against Sabbath desecration.

Rev. S. S. Palmer, of Columbus, was introduced as the representative of the evangelistic committee of the northern church and stated that the work of evangelization was a new thing on their jurisdiction. He advocated closer relationship and said that all Cumberland Presbyterians stood for the same faith, creed, history and polity.

The hour for the consideration of the question of organic union was fixed for tomorrow morning, and Chairman Templeton said the report of the committee would be unanimous in recommending the adoption of the resolution introduced by the moderator, which provides for the appointment of a committee of nine to confer with a similar committee from the northern general assembly.

Mrs. I. D. Steele, of Alabama, was introduced as a delegate from the woman's missionary convention, which recently assembled at Huntsville, and said that the convention intended to raise $25,000 for the work within the next two years.

The assembly selected Dallas as the next place of meeting.

Rev. Edgar Gardner Murphy, representing the southern educational board, discussed the relation between education and religion.

A memorial relating to a change of church government so as to conform to the civil government was transferred from the committee on overtures to that on church government. It was announced that the afternoon would be given to a programme of historical addresses, while the assembly adjourned for committee work.

The assembly then adjourned till tomorrow morning. The closing prayer was offered by the venerable Rev. Dr. G. W. Mitchell, perhaps the oldest minister in the denomination.

The Northern Presbyterians.

Los Angeles, May 26—The important subject of home missions and its corollary—evangelical work among the churches—ocupied the morning session of the Presbyterian general assembly. This afternoon at 2 o'clock the report of the standing committee on aid for colleges was considered and discussed.

Moderator Coyle has announced his appointments of chairmen for the various boards and standing committees. They are as follows:

Rev. Henry Van Dyke, bills and overtures; Rev. Dr. C. W. Yan Mater, judicial committee; Rev. Dr. R. W. Holloway, home missions; Rev. Dr. C. Van Natta, education; Rev. Dr. Frederick J. Stanley, L. H. D., publication and Sabbath school work; Rev. Dr. Charles Payson Cheeseman, missions for freedmen; Rev. Thomas F. Dixon, temperance; Rev. Peyton H. Hoge, theological seminaries; Rev. James Yereance, mileage; E. S. Stranger, finance.

SENIOR RECITAL, GREAT SUCCESS

Alumnae Banquet at Brenau Proves Unusually Enjoyable Event.

Gainesville, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—The senior recital at Brenau last night was a most delightful one, and was witnessed by an unusually large crowd, the auditorium being packed. "Timothy's Quest," by Kate Duoglas Wiggin, cut and arranged by Miss Overton, was given in four scenes by Miss Anna McConnell, with an interlude—"Aria from La Somnambula"—by Miss Tilson. This was a splendid presentation, and Miss McConnell was perfectly at home in the rendition of her part.

"Flute and Violin"—James Lane Allen, cut and arranged by Miss Overton, was next given by Miss Rachel Tomlinson, one of the most gifted elocutionists in northeast Georgia. This was presented in two scenes, with an interlude, "Stolen Wings," by Miss Tilson. Miss Tomlinson, who has given several recitals through this section since completing her course at Brenau this spring, was greeted with rapt attention.

After the rendition of the programme at the auditorium, which was concluded at about 10 o'clock, the alumnae repaired to the banquet hall in the dormitory of the college. Appropriate decorations greeted the guests on every hand, and the long tables in the banquet hall were tastily arranged by those who had prepared for the fair banqueters and their guests. The attendance at this banquet was the largest of any yet given by the alumnae.

The toasts and those responding to them were:

Toastmistress—Miss Lillian Jones.
Our Alma Mater—Miss Kate Dozier.
Dear Scenes of the Past—Miss Susie McMichael.
The Seniors—Miss Mabel Brown.
The Faculty—Miss Ruth Baker.
Our Homes—Miss Susie Wallace.
Brenua's Future—Miss Marion Chambers.
Alumnae greetings.

This morning the graduating exercises occurred at the auditorium. Many of those in the audience were visitors from a distance, who had come to see their daughters or relatives get their diplomas from Brenau. Close attention was given the young ladies, and the papers prepared by them were of a very high order and elicited much praise from those who heard them read.

The following is the full programme:

Piano—"Handel's Hallelujah Chorus," by Misses Bowden, Allen, Stevens and Thompson.
Address of Welcome—Miss Nell Bright.
Class History—Miss Anna McConnell.
Vocal Solo—"L'Enchantress," Boeder, by Miss Johnie Burnett.
Original Poem—Miss Ruth Baker.
Essay—"Poe Coming to His Kingdom," by Miss Mabel Brown.
Piano Solo—"Rigoletto," Verdi-Listz, by Miss Haidee McKenzie.
Reading—Miss Gertie Blalock.
Class Prophecy—Miss Sarah Gunn.
Reading—"Indirection," by Miss Rachel Tomlinson.
Last Will and Testament of Class of 1903—Miss Eliza Bright.
Vocal Trio—"Evening," Lucantoni, by Misses Webb, Bowden and Thompson.
Valedictory—Miss Pauline Smith.
Address—Professor Pearce.
Delivery of Diplomas—Professor Van Hoose.
Class Song—Words and music by Miss Daisy Wilson.
Announcements—Professor Van Hoose.

At 8:30 o'clock tonight the annual concert was given. Those taking part in the programme acquitted themselves most creditably. The selections were those of most renowned artists, and they were handled in a way to satisfy the keenest criticisms. Professor Pferkorn, the director of music, was at his best, and he was given many hearty encores.

The exhibition of the art department was a popular place with the visitors. Many pieces of handsome work were shown, which reflected credit upon the young artists and their instructors.

Tomorrow, the girls will begin leaving for their homes. The season has been a successful one from the standpoint of the work shown by the college and conservatory, and socially it has been a happy one to the gris and their friends.

Preparations are now under way by which the next session will have a greatly enlarged attendance. Much effort will be put forth to bring the school up to a high standard of excellence.

QUINTETTE YARN MILL SOLD.

Atlanta Company Purchaser of Mill Property at Eatonton.

Eatonton, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—The bankrupt sale of the Quintette yarn mill, Eatonton electric cotton mill, electric plant and two undeveloped water powers took place today before the court house door. The Quintette mill was bid in at $3,510 and the other property at $36,775. The entire property was bought by the Equitable Morfgage Security Company, of Atlanta.

The liabilities of the Quintette are $50,000; the assessed value $28,700. Against this mill the Equitable Mortgage and Security Company holds mortgages for $25,000. The liabilities of the other property are $103,000, the assessed value $78,000.

It is thought that the court will not approve the sale. The Equitable company made the purchase with the hope of realizing from a future sale enough to cover their investment. The company is now offering the property for sale in case the court approves today's work.

Southern Tobacconist in Court.

Richmond, Va., May 26.—The Walthall Printing and Southern Tobacconist Company was placed in involuntary bankruptcy in the United States court here today by two paper manufacturing houses and a Richmond bank. The amount of money owed by the company is said to amount to about $7,000. It is stated that the publication of The Southern Tobacconist will be continued under the direction of Receivers Edward M. Pilcher and R. B. Walthall, who were appointed today.

AUTOS RUSHED THRO' CROWDS

Englishman Describes Horrors of Paris-Madrid Race.

No Attempt Made To Keep People Off Course, and the Great Machines Whizzed Through a Human Mass—Vanderbilt Was Thrown Into a Ditch.

London, May 26.—Joseph Pennell, the artist and writer, has sent a most graphic description of the first stage of the Paris-Madrid automobile race to The Daily Chronicle from Chartres. After describing the assembling of the crowds and how, finally, the racers were seen coming from the top of a hill, he continued:

"As the cars fell—there is no other word for it—down the slopes and approached the narrow bridge, jumped with a bound across and flew with a scream up the rise beyond, one could see by the twitch of the wheels, not half of which was caused by the road, how agonizing was the strain of the driver forced to make his way through the endless, uncontrolled crowds which littered the road from Paris to Bordeaux. Much as one may esteem the broad-minded views of the French government in encouraging the motor industry, the government's neglect to protect the course was criminal and nothing else.

"Though on the stretch of eight kilometers between Chartres and the first village were from 5,000 to 10,000 people and 500 to 1,000 cars, no attempt was made to control the crowds, mostly made up of peasants and people from Paris who know nothing about automobiles. The horse-drawn traffic was stopped during the race, but the fools on bicycles and the imbeciles on motors careened about and drew up anywhere all over the road, and only escaped killing themselves and the racing contestants by sheer dumb luck which is said to protect drunken men, children and fools. Yet people wonder why accidents happened.

"The conduct of the military is incredible. From Chartres, the narrow bridge at the foot of the hill, the roadway was kept clear by a regiment of infantry and some gendarmes and though pedestrians were not permitted to cross the bridge, but had to pass through the stream below, thus making a jam at both sides, the ordinary motor cars and motor cycles were allowed free passage, of which they took such advantage that one of the racing commissioners was stopped dead in order that a person on an ordinary car might crawl over. As for the motor cycles in the race, they were simply used near Chartres as pacing machines by any stray scorcher who wanted to take them on. Measures for preserving the safety of the public were either non-existent or of the most ridiculous character."

Mr. Pennell then describes the scenes at the headquarters at Chartres and the appearance and often hysterical demeanor of the drivers who were out of the races, and says:

"Further up the street was another car with a huge gash in the tire of one wheel, the other tire down and the whole twisted and bent, in the hands of a dozen workmen. Walking away therefrom was a human being with part of a cap over one ear and part of a pair of goggles over the other plastered with mud and oil, in rags and tatters of what had once been a suit of clothes. It opened its mouth and said in a voice choked with tears and in the American language:

"'I do not mind breaking down again, but it makes me so very angry.'"

It was Mr. Vanderbilt, and he had been in a ditch.

They Will Race No More.

Paris, May 26.—The second stretch of the Paris-Madrid automobile race was not started this morning owing to the interdiction of the French and Spanish governments. Many of the contestants withdrew and some of them proceeded leisurely.

Hope is held out for the recovery of Marcel Renault, one of the injured contestants. The other injured persons are progressing favorably.

Maurice Forman and other prominent drivers have announced their permanent withdrawal from racing.

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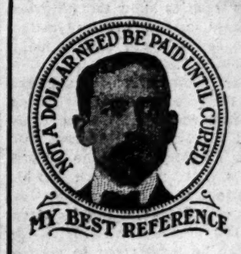
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CAR LINE FIGHT NOW IN COURT

Railway Company Temporarily Enjoined from Abandoning 4th Ward Line.

The fight over the proposed abandonment of a portion of the old Decatur electric car line on Irwin and Ellis streets, in the fourth ward, which is now before the city council, was yesterday taken into the superior court, when a bill was filed by F. M. Coker, Jr., et al, asking that the Georgia Railway and Electric Company be enjoined from the abandonment of the line and the removal of the tracks.

Judge L. S. Roan, of the criminal superior court, signed an order, granting a temporary injunction and setting the case for a hearing on June 8. Judge Roan assumed jurisdiction in the matter as Judge J. H. Lumpkin, of the superior court, holds himself disqualified.

In addition to the injunction the petitioners ask for a writ of mandamus to compel the street railway company to restore on the line, in question, a ten or twenty minute schedule, which it is claimed was in operation on that line before the second Decatur line was constructed.

The application of the railway company to be allowed to remove the tracks was reported favorably to the city council Monday afternoon and the desired authority was granted by that body, subject to the action of the aldermanic board on Thursday. Under the temporary injunction, however, the defendant is restrained from in anywise altering the physical statues of the line until the hearing of the case.

The petitioners allege that they own property along the line and claim that its abandonment by the railway company would result in damage to their property. The action of the city council of Monday afternoon is attacked, the bill charging that council has no authority to grant the company privilege to remove its tracks, as the company's charter was obtained from the state. It is also contended that an abandonment of the line would be in violation of the constitution of the United States and of the state of Georgia. The bill was filed by Attorney Hamilton Douglas, who represented the fourth ward people before council Monday afternoon.

Winter Cantey Hangs Friday.

Columbia, S. C., May 26.—(Special.)—Winter Cantey, a negro about 20 years of age, will be hanged in the county jail yard on Friday next for the murder of Eliza Kershaw.

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Crumpacker is looked to to put down that anti-African lawlessness in Indiana.

Seasoned war correspondents would better report the proceedings at Jackson, Ky.

If the president looks like his latest newspaper portraits he is growing worse alarmingly.

Editor Mack seems to think the democratic platform needs no plank other than harmony.

There is a suspicion that Santos Dumont employs a good deal of hot air in his aerial inventions.

Must be that Mr. Gorky has made enough out of the monstrous cultured class to leave Russia on.

Texas is becoming the seat of the packing house industry. The south is pulling 'em all to the raw material.

Don't form your opinion of the Manchurian situation from the foreign dispatches. Watch the mule market.

It was not lady-like of those funny men in convention assembled in Baltimore to talk as they did of Edward Bok.

Fire Alarm Foraker should tip Sire Roosevelt to lose no time in bringing his traveling menagerie into Ohio.

The Hoosiers have seen a new light on the negro question. They are now ordering hundreds of blacks to leave the state.

In the east they are praying for air, and out west they are down in the cyclone cellars praying for the air to calm down.

Doubtless Uncle Mark merely wants Ohio left free to answer roll call with a favorite son, should she feel so disposed.

The more the Reliance excites the admiration of the American yachting experts, the more superstitious Sir Thomas becomes.

If the rogues in the postoffice department keep on falling out we will presently discover the nature and extent of the shortage.

Perhaps Booker Washington would feel vindicated if Dr. Hillis were permitted to make up his bed in the white house spare chamber.

The plumbers who held a national convention in San Francisco complain because the hotel-keepers hit them on the basis of their proverbial opulence.

Possibly the mysterious disappearance of that Ann Arbor student had some connection with the fact that he was engaged to two girls simultaneously.

In pushing his resolution for Cuban annexation, Senator Newlands may have in mind the coy Donna who, swearing she would ne'er consent, consented.

Tornadoes are still sweeping the states of the west. Can it be that the proximity of our "strenuous" president is responsible for the "fits" being thrown by the atmosphere?

Joaquin Miller is said to be very proud of his obituary scrapbook and thinks of reading it on next winter's lecture tour. Better use it at the summer chautauquas while it's fresh.

In order for a man to be safe, he ought to take lessons from a Chesterfield before enlisting in the kaiser's army. German officers have begun to kill privates who do not salute properly.

A Russian paper has been suppressed for stating the statistical fact that the czar's income is $81 a minute. Such knowledge is apt to make the peasants run amuck and massacre Jews.

Poultney Bigelow tells the readers of The London Post that President Roosevelt means well, but is incompetent. We should think a kaiserphile like Poult would ardently admire the republican kaiser.

"Get-Rich-Quick" Ryan says he had to pay $5,000 for a single letter of indorsement from a minor postal official. The fact that Ryan paid such a price indicates that he was catching "suckers" in large numbers.

Carroll D. Wright, federal commissioner of labor, says that, after years of study, he has reached the conclusion that a solution of the labor problem is impossible. But who should despair while Hanna survives?

Our Visiting Odd Fellows.

Atlanta is now entertaining the grand encampment and grand lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the state. It is a sincere pleasure to open the gates and homes of the capital city to bodies that are exemplars of the best traits in human character and to voluntary works that enlarge the security and happiness of mankind.

This philanthropic order has always been a strong one in Georgia and the loyalty of the Georgians in the work of the fraternity has been recognized in substantial compliments. About a quarter of a century ago our late honored citizen, Hon. Luther J. Glenn, was made the grand sire of the world of Odd Fellowship and this year that same exalted post is held by one of Atlanta's favorite sons, Hon. John B. Goodwin. The distinction has, perhaps, never fallen upon a more devoted and capable man than the present grand sire, who has reached the station by worthy promotions.

This session of the grand lodge will also give to Atlanta the grand master of the state in the person of Hon. John A. Hynds, member of the city council, able lawyer and valued citizen. With these officials in our citizenship Atlanta becomes the universal as well as the local headquarters of Odd Fellowship in America.

The order itself is one of enormous membership and strength. In its ranks are found strong men of every community and in every field of public and private service. They are associated in the three great enterprises which are the trinity of all valid religions—to care for the sick, bury the dead and minister to the widows and orphans. In these divine labors they expend millions of dollars annually and their names are a fragrance throughout modern civilization.

To have the Georgia contingent of so estimable an order in Atlanta is an honor to us and an opportunity. That opportunity will be to send them to their homes at the last loving their capital city and their brethren within its gates better than ever before.

The Feud Devils of Kentucky.

The question whether our civilization is a failure may be pertinently debated by those who read the accounts of that court in Kentucky now being held under the protection of a large army guard. The case is one of those chargeable to the Greek-fire feuds that have so long disgraced eastern Kentucky. The suspected murderers of Attorney Marcum have been indicted and are to be brought to trial at Jackson, to which point Governor Beckham has ordered a large section of state troops to see that the administrators of the law are not carved, perforated and scattered in flight by the feud factions of Breathitt county, who believe they are a law unto themselves.

The spectacle now on at Jackson must be a shame-producing one to every law-abiding citizen of Kentucky. That great state has among its citizens most eminent men of the nation, officials of courage and probity, a society second to none in the world and occupies a place in the very heart of the republic where the will of its people should indeed be the supreme and universally respected law.

The nation itself is disgraced by the conditions of practical insurrection, wholesale slaughter and public dread existing in parts of Kentucky. No reasonable excuse for the prevalence of these conditions can be offered by the state authorities. The men engaged in the perpetual carnival of the mountain counties know that they are defying laws and terrorizing justice. They are self-outlawed and in many cases dehumanized.

Goverior Beckham has the supreme duty of the executive of a civilized state to perform. He is bound to his oath and to civilization to awe into obedience or exterminate the lawless characters that now laugh at his proclamations and act the wildcat toward his coordinates of the judiciary. If civil law is not competent in his hands then he must recur to martial law and hunt to the jail and the gallows every principal and accessory of these outlaws whose deeds have disgraced Kentucky and put themselves on the bloody level of the assassins of Kishinef, whose deeds now fill the world with horror.

A Northern Law of Attainder.

Really we shall soon have to offer a seductive reward for a list of "the rights of the negro in the north." We do not mean some particular negro who has founded an institution or won a prize over a lot o. Yale college "You'd scarce expects, etc.," but just the plain, ebony, emancipated man and brother of the William Loyd Garrison seditionists and the Roosevelt "Door of Hope" missionaries.

We say this because we find in a recent issue of The Boston Herald that—

> Frank Irving, the son of Sheridan W. Ford by a slave marriage with the former's mother in Virginia, was shut out from taking any share of his father's estate by a decision of the full bench of the supreme court rendered yesterday. Irving sought to recover one-third of the estate, which would be his proportionate share with the legal children of the deceased. The whole estate belongs to the legal children by a subsequent marriage.

Now by what sort of Draconian principles are the laws of Massachusetts framed that they thus prevent the elder son of a negro man, born of a slave marriage recognized by the lex loci and state polity when it occurred, from sharing in his father's estate with the two heirs of a subsequent marriage? Is it thus that Massachusetts puts an additional bar sinister across the life of the slave-born child?

In fact, is there any common sense, decency or equity in such a decision? Certainly it can only inspire a hearty disgust in the minds of honest men anywhere and particularly so in the south.

The Way To Get Together.

The Constitution is honestly gratified to find our valued contemporary, The Macon Telegraph, showing genuine symptoms of democratic "get-together" enthusiasm. It is pointing its political theodolite in the right direction, but losing some valuable time by insisting on back-sighting over abandoned routes.

In congratulating our friend on its evident desire to see a reunited and triumphant democracy we are compelled, for the truth's sake, to contest some of its premises.

The question on which the democracy suffered division in 1896—a division that could not be healed adequately in 1900—was the currency question, to be sure. But to argue at this late day that Grover Cleveland, "more than any man living or dead," stood for "life to legitimate business and protection to honest trade," through the medium of the single gold standard, is too far-fetched to be considered seriously. Of course, since things are now as they are, it is a convenient thing for all Clevelandites to make that claim, ignoring acts of Providence, new gold supplies and all the trust and financial agencies that pulled the Prosperity band wagon.

It should not be forgotten that it took some time after the Mr. Cleveland performance with the Joab's blade on the democracy to produce conditions in which any Clevelandite could crack his heels together and say: "I told you so!"

It should, especially, not be forgotten that today even, with all our prosperity, neither McKinley, nor Cleveland, nor Hanna, nor anybody else would dare claim that had the gold supply of 1896 remained at a level from then until now any prosperity would have been visible or possible in this country.

The whole free silver issue arose out of a patent insufficiency of redemption money. Professor Andrews, whom The Telegraph says has confessed his errors of the years 1896 and 1900, has done no such thing. He has simply done what ninety-nine hundredths of the free silver men have done—declared that the monetary conditions of 1896 are not those of 1903, and the remedy proposed as wholesome then is not necessary now.

With that simple truth writ large on every progressive democratic banner of today, the end of the bug-bear called "Bryanism" is signalled from every quarter of the republic. Why discuss it any more?

It should be plain to our esteemed friend, The Telegraph, that when it cogently says "no harmony can come without removing the cause of the discord," it cannot avoid pointing all true democrats to Mr. Cleveland as certainly one of the remaining causes of discord. The abandonment of Mr. Bryan as the party leader would find no logical sequence in readopting Grover Cleveland for that office. The times require that both of them should abnegate all claims to any position in the party that would prolong discord.

The democracy is a great, living mass of American citizens who have a changeless creed of equal rights to all, special privileges to none, manhood rights superior to the rights of money, traffic and trusts, a government of the people, by the people and for the people. Such men will never be anything other than democrats. They cannot be bought with a price. They will not a second time admit any Trojan horse within the walls of their camp. They are determined to fight for the causes created by Jefferson and if they do not win the battle, they will carry no shame out of the conflict.

An Illustrious Matron.

The sojourning of Mrs. General Stonewall Jackson in Atlanta for a few days will create sensations of pleasure in thousands of southern hearts.

The typically gracious and modest widow of the immortal Bayard of the Gray Army of Gallahads—the flower and chivalry of the sunny south—is in herself a most interesting representative of our section. Before her presence the proudest of our citizens bow with generous admiration and to her humble but memorable home in Charlotte strangers from the north and other lands come with reverence to meet her greetings and carry away a sanctifying remembrance of her smiles.

To those of the south whose historic volumes have revealed no nobler and braver spirit than that of "Old Stonewall," his wife is a personality beloved as his own and to them the occasion of her visit to Atlanta will be a source of pride and affectionate tribute.

The gates of this southern city beautiful will not be opened to any one more welcome and to whom its golden keys will be so freely given.

Effect of the Cuban Treaty.

The signing of the permanent form of treaty hoped for between the United States and Cuba has happened and the document is ready for ratification by their respective senates. If so ratified, the going into effect of that treaty marks the Americanization of the new nation and a new era in the history of Central and South American republics.

By it Cuba has been bound to the United States under terms which amount to practical international suzerainty on our part and to a protege's position for Cuba. It has all along been the purpose of the real rulers in Cuba to reach this conclusion, but a few marplots of the mouthy and incendiary sort, such as Manuel Sanguilly, Juan Gualberto Gomez and their cliques, have delayed matters until now. They will be in evidence again in the Cuban congress when the treaty appears there, but will be promptly defeated.

Cuba needs the principles of government, of financial and trade relations, which the Platt amendments required. They will be of greater good to Cuba than to the United States. Under them the new nation has maintained itself most happily for the year past and by a patriotic adhesion to them in the future there is every reason to believe that Cuban republicanism may finally become the type adopted by all the Spanish-American republics.

STATE PRESS SIDELIGHTS.

It looks like spring has sprung right into the midst of summer, declares The Stewart Countian.

It seems there is no chance left for the city bred youth. The Savannah Press quotes Governor Candler as saying that nature finds it "almost impossible to grow a man on a brick pavement."

President Roosevelt may have encountered a snow storm in the Yosemite, but the Augusta Chronicle sees a hot finish ahead of him if he expects to win place money.

The Dublin Dispatch calls for the passage of a bill by the legislature creating a state board of health and declares it is one of the most important matters that can come before the state solons.

The Albany Herald is sure Georgia is the greatest section of the greatest country in the world and the only one on earth, perhaps, that could live without importing any food products, and at the same time live well.

Commenting on the motion of the Sparta Ishmaelite to nominate Bryan again just as an answer to the Cleveland shouters, The Augusta Chronicle wearily remarks:

"Suppose we give them both a rest, and try a new deal of the cards."

"Newell Dwight Hillis," says The Dublin Dispatch, "states that he would consider it an honor to make up the bed in which Booker Washington had slept. Well, it is all owing to how a man has been raised, as the boy said who kissed the calf."

An agitation is being waged in Macon for an auditorium while Albany wants a natatorium. One to be filled with cool water, the other with hot air. Some of that natatorium stock might be floated among the perspiring workers for the auditorium, it seems to us.

"And so the Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis wants to make up Booker Washington's bed," ruminates The Augusta Chronicle. "We know nothing about the distinguished divine's ability as a house maid, but if he makes up his bed in the same way that he makes up his mind, Booker will long for the pallet on the floor of his mammy's cabin."

"The Dawson News does not believe that Judge James J. Griggs will run for governor of Georgia in 1904. Possibly Editor Rainey is right. A man who has a good time in Washington on $6,325 a year doesn't want to come down to $3,000 in Atlanta, does he?" sagely remarks The Savannah Press.

The commencement season is on and the editor of The Moultrie News is bearing up with the fortitude of a man who has sons and daughters graduating. He says:

"This is the month of commencements in Georgia and of opportunities for drinking at the pierian fount of knowledge. It is also the time for compositions with 'trimmings' of baby blue ribbon. It need occasion no great surprise even if we hear 'Regulus to the Romans' and 'Spartacus to the Gladiators' and some seniors orate about the 'inroads of plutocracy.' Well, we all used to 'save the republic' in very much the same way."

"The Devil and the Deep Sea."

(From The Albany Herald.)

The Macon Telegraph, under the caption, "A Disappointed Editor," says:

"Our good friend McIntosh, of The Albany Herald, always a thorough democratic partisan who believes in his party, is out of heart, as the saying goes. Here is the key line to an editorial in the last issue of his paper before us:

> Between Clevelandism and goldbugism on the one side and Bryanism and free silverism on the other, the democratic party seems to be in a fair way to go to the devil.

There used to be a martial ditty, the air to which was piped out on funeral occasions during the war between the states, which contained this couplet:

> "Go to the devil and shake yourself,
> When you come back behave yourself."

We are inclined to the belief that our friend is a little late—but with that slight inaccuracy, correct. The jorney in the direction of the Old Boy was begun in 1896. In 1900 we arrived, and proceeded to "shake" ourselves. The movement now observed by the editor of The Herald is the effort to come back and "behave" ourselves. We are at present in the tall timber on the leeward side of his satinic majesty's domains, with our garments scorched a bit, but we are facing in the right direction. It is the wrong time to lay down now. We are not going "to the devil"—we are coming back from him. The progress is slow, and beset with difficulties, but if the rank and file will hold out and not fall by the wayside, we will land all right.

The conceit and complacent faith of these idolatrous Clevelandites would be amusing if it were not disgusting.

Our friend of The Telegraph is in a worse fix than we are, but he just doesn't know it. Politically speaking, we may both be between the devil and the deep blue sea, but we see things differently. As he looks confidingly toward the stuffed prophet in which he thinks the hopes of the democratic party are all centered he imagines that the balance of us who are in the political wilderness see only what he thinks he sees. But we see more, and whither he would flee for refuge we would not go—could not be led, would not be driven. The "tall timber" in which our brother Pendleton is so well contented is really midway betwixt the devil and the deep blue sea. Those of us who feel that we have once been betrayed by his political god have our faces turned in the opposite direction, preferring to take our chances, slim though they may be, in the temptest-tossed sea.

Our brother's martial ditty is apropos, but he is mixed on his dates and the "shake." The shaking was done during Cleveland's last term, and he did the shaking. He shook off the great majority of his party. The mug-wumps and office-holders who clung to him are making a great noise now, but it will all amount to nothing. As our brother of The Telegraph is helping make the noise he may fool himself into a comfortable feeling for a time, but it cannot be for long. Even he will be able to see before this time next year that the great majority of the loyal democrats of the country will take to the sea rather than go straight to the devil. Then our brother of The Telegraph, who now attempts to chide us for falling down and assumes a satisfied, patronizing air over an impossibility—the nomination of Cleveland again by the democratic party—will be as badly "disappointed" as he now thinks we are, and will find himself as lonesome as he was in 1898 and 1900.

"JUST FROM GEORGIA."

The Song of a Dreamer.

I.

I drowsin' by de river in de shadders en de beams;
He singin' me ter sleep, en den he tellin' all my dreams:
'Pears lak I hear him say:
It's de sleepy time er day,
But de seed won't come ter harvest ef you sleeps de time away!"

II.

I see de sunshine fallin' on de fr'en'ly fiel's er grain—
De dutsy co'nblades wavin' ter de rattle er de rain;
En sun en rain, dey say:
"It's de sleep time er day,
But you'll moan, w'en come de winter, ef you dream away de May!"

III.

En de buds up dar a-singin' in de blossoms wil' en free,
'Pears lak dey sen' dis message thoo' de green leaves down ter me:
"Sun, en rain, en win', en stream
Does dey task in shake gn beam:
It's de sower makes de reaper whilst de dreamer dream de dream!"

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But I drowsin' en I dreamin' whar de river sings en shines,
En de bees is gittin' tangled in de honeysuckle vines;
Ylt, ferevermo' de say:
"It's de sleep time er day,
But you'll weep w'en come de Winter, ef you dream away de May."

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It'll get so after awhile a man won't know whether to commit suicide in the old way, or simply rent an automobile.

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A Limited Transaction.

A Georgia darky who could not write his name, was paid a sum of money at a bank, and required to make a cross-mark as a receipt. For a while he fumbled and weighed the silver dollars in his hand, then exclaimed:

"All dis here money fer des makin' my cross-mark! Lawd knows how much I would 'a' got ef I could 'a' des writed out my name in full!"

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In the Storm.

Shadows in heaven—
Day dim as night;
But out of the storm
Looms a rainbow of light!

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Brother Williams on Automobiles.

"Well, suh," said Brother Williams, "dis yer outomobiyou business is gittin' ter be de ruination er de country! I never see de like sence de day I raise en bo'n. Folks dat a few years back wuz satisfied ter go ter town in a ox-cart, en wouldn't so much ez look at a railroad train, is now runnin' races ter see who'll strike de Hereafter fust in a automobiyou! Hit's come ter de pass dat w'en a man falls out wid his mother in law he makes her a present er one er dem, en de nex' thing she know, she dunno nuthin'! En w'en his po' relations come ter spend de summer wid him, all he got ter do is—give 'em one ride, en dey don't come back no mo' fer Chrismus! Hit's my opinion dat de automobiyou is doin' mo' ter thin out de human race dan all de rheumatism en doctors in de country."

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We'll All Pull Through.

The de'il is in the weather—
The violet's lookin' blue,
But the birds sing all together,
And we'll
All
Pull
Through!

And what is Care?—A feather!
The daisy's in the dew,
We walk the green together,
And we'll
All
Pull
Through!

Then here's a health, my hearty—
And let not healths be few,
For joy is of the party,
And we'll
All
Pull
Through!

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Only trouble about some o' these Folk-Lore Journals is—their dialect is as mixed as a mint julep in summer time!

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The Conscienceless Alligator.

"I can't go down in dat water wid you, Br'er Williams," said the convert. "I too 'fraid er alligators."

"Nonsense!" said Br'er Williams. "Didn't it turn out all right wid Jonah atter he wux swallered by de whale?"

"Yes," replied the convert, "but a Georgy alligator is mo' tougher dan what a whale is, en got less conscience. Atter he swallers you he goes ter sleep en fergits all erbout you!"

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The Summer Truant.

Lots o' things to do at home—
Grass is needin' trimmin',
But—down by the river bank
I'm strippin' off fer swimmin'!

"Splash!" goes the water,
Cool as cool kin be,
An' it keeps the grown folks wishin'
They was boys—like me!

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Talk about long journeys to the seashore—a few live alligators can make a Georgia millpond foam to beat the band; and the wise, economical man can imagine the rest.

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At the Commencement.

"What air they a-doin' of now?" asked the old man at commencement.

"They're a-talkin' at each other in Greek."

"I'll tell you what," he exclaimed—quite out of patience, "I'd give a dollar to hear 'em ring a dinner bell in dialect!"

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We have it on reliable authority that, as soon as Georgia is done layin'-by cotton, she's going to whirl in and write the Great American Novel.

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His Summer Job.

He doesn't make long speeches to the nation,
To hear the folks hoorayin' all together,
But works himself into a perspiration
Eternally a-swearin' at the weather!

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"De only folks what feels sensitive 'bout bein' called colonels," says Brother Dickey, "is dem what been knockin' roun' long enough ter be gin'rals!"

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No Fear of Competition.

"To be exact," said the stranger, who was telling the snake story, "the snake was—"

"Don't interrupt him," said a tall man in the audience, as some one groaned. "They's bigger liars than him in this community. The town's here on its reputation!"

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Summertime in Georgia.

No better place than Georgy
Fer layin' of yer head
Whilst the peach is ripe an' rosy,
An' the melon sweet an' red!

F. L. S.

THE PASSING THRONG

"I once fought a rapier duel on the stage," remarked a handsome young actor, a member of one of the companies which has recently played here and a matinee favorite.

"No one but the stage manager and myself, and of course the other duelist, knew what was going on," he continued, "but the affair was none the less thrilling.

"We were playing a melodrama in which I was the hero who fought a duel with the villain—the regulation thing of that kind, you know. Well, it happened that the villain was an ass off the stage and I couldn't help letting him see how I felt about him. So we were never on the very best of terms.

"One night I accidentally got too close to him and clipped a piece out of his ear during our duel scene. Of course I regretted the accident—I would have done that no matter who the victim had been—and I went to the fellow at the close of the act and apologized. But he was as mad as a hornet and swore to run me through with his sword the next night, and then I hit him, for he was very abusive.

"The next day I got to thinking about the matter and decided that discretion was after all the better part of valour; that fellow could easily shove his sword clear through me and claim it was an accident. Nobody could dispute so plausible a story.

"Anyway I went to the stage manager and told him the threats that had been made and asked him to stand in the flies and watch our duel scene closely, so that if this fellow made a move out of the way he would see it. Then I went on for the act.

"There was an ugly light in the eyes of my antagonist when we lined up for our combat and I looked for trouble. Every now and then I could see that he was trying to stab me, but I parried every thrust. It was a ticklish sensation, too, I'll tell you, and I couldn't help wondering what the audience would think if they knew what we were doing.

"I never had any more trouble with the fellow after that, but somehow the story of our duel leaked out and got into the papers so that I have never heard the last of it among my friends."

A group on a down-town corner yesterday were discussing the late Paul Blouet, better known as Max O'Rell. Said one of the group:

"His story about the man in the court room who spit was the funniest thing Max O'Rell ever wrote, in my opinion. He used to tell it in his lectures.

"He said that one day when he was traveling in the United States, picking up experience and information, he went to a court room to observe the American methods of dispensing justice.

"While he was sitting there a tall gaunt individual, an attorney, apparently, leaned over in his chair and expectorated, aiming squarely at a cuspidor 20 feet away and hitting his mark exactly. At that the French visitor sprang from his seat, waving his hat and cheering, till a bailiff seized him.

"The official demanded an explanation of such unprecedented conduct, and Max O'Rell replied:

"'Why, I was cheering the wonderful accomplishment of that man over there,' pointing at the person who had spit. 'He expectorated just now and hit a cuspidor 20 feet away. That is remarkable and Frenchmen always love to express their admiration for the man who excels.'

"'Oh,' replied the bailiff, 'anybody in America can do that.'"

J. J. Flanders and Herman Hesse, of Dublin, Ga., are at the Aragon.

Colonel Ed Baxter, of Nashville, is in the city stopping at the Piedmont.

Hon. J. J. Flynt, of Griffin, is registered at the Kimball.

D. S. and J. H. Simonds, of Daytona, Fla., are guests at the Piedmont.

George H. Palmer, of Athens, is at the Aragon.

H. P. Walter, of Norfolk, is stopping at the Aragon.

J. H. Dozier, of Athens, was a visitor at the Piedmont yesterday.

R. P. Ketcham, P. C. Clegg, J. A. Bishop and W. H. Forest, of Cordele, are at the Piedmont.

J. R. Shelton and Colonel Orrin Roberts, of Hartwell, are spending a few days at the Kimball.

T. S. Mell, of Athens, is at the Kimball.

W. S. Forman, of Asheville, Ala., is a guest at the Aragon.

Frank and P. S. Roberts, of Monticello, are stopping at the Piedmont.

Hamilton Yancy, Jr., of Rome, was a visitor at the Piedmont yesterday.

A. H. Porter and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Haws, of Augusta, are guests at the Piedmont.

T. A. Cheatam, of Macon, is at the Kimball.

W. F. Hughes, of Birmingham, is registered at the Aragon.

F. W. Poe, of Greenville, S. C., is stopping at the Piedmont.

Dr. Gilbert W. Williams, of Birmingham, is a guest at the Piedmont.

Colonel W. E. Wooten, of Albany, is in the city, stopping at the Kimball.

John W. Bennett, the Waycross attorney, was among yesterday's arrivals at the Kimball.

Walter M. Wilson, of Gainesville, is registered at the Aragon.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES.

At San Diego, Cal., a party of seven Cuban children has arrived in charge of Secretary Pierce, of the Theosophical brotherhood. They were taken at once to the homestead, at Point Loma. The children have come direct from Cuba, where Katherine Tingley now is and will be for several months, and are to enter the Raja Yogal school.

The secretary of the interior has received a protest from sugar dealers of San Francisco against the award of the contract for supplying sugar for the Indian service to a New York firm. The award was made because the New York bid was the lowest on its face, but the San Francisco dealers claim that with freight added it is not the lowest.

Consul General Bellows, at Yokohama, cables the department of state that the plague exists there.

Consul General McWade, at Canton, has cabled the state department that famine is increasing in Kwang Si province and that relief is urgently needed. He also informed the department that sporadic Asiatic cholera exists in Canton.

At Detroit, Mich., Professor Thompson Jay Hudson, author of a number of psychological works and lecturer on these subjects, is dead.

At St. Louis Dr. S. H. Peabody, aged 74 years, assistant director of exhibits of the Louisiana Purchase exposition and a well-known educator, is dead.

It is learned in official sources at New York that the merger of the National Bank of Commerce of New York and the Western national bank will not take place.

At Baltimore formal notice of Congressman Frank C. Wachter's intention to contest the recent election for mayor has been filed.

Governor Beckham, of Kentucky, has commissioned Judge B. E. Robbins, of Mayfield, special judge to preside at the next trial of Caleb Powers. The trial will be held some time in July or August.

At Chicago Judge Croscup, in the federal court, entered the final order in the so-called "beef trust" case, restraining the packers from combining to regulate the trade. The order covers all the points in the previous decision, and is regarded as a complete victory for the government. An appeal will be taken.

Howell's Battery in the Civil War.

(From The Dalton Press.)

The visit of Captain Evan P. Howell to Dalton was a splendid one to him and to the "boys in gray." He was full of reminiscences and The Press reporter caught the genial captain in one of his best moods and got a lot of good stories, for which he is famous, out of him. Having been at the fulcrum of a great Georgia daily for twenty-five years he knows what it is for a reporter to strike a "rich find" and he made it easy for the scribe. He commanded Howell's battery under Pat Cleburne and while at Ringgold he was stationed upon one of the hillsides that form the gap in the south end of that town and through which the winding, tumbling, restless Chickamauga (River of Blood) runs its way. When Sherman undertook to pass through in ranks of four, Captain Howell, at the command of his superior, unmasked his two field pieces and they thundered forth for 15 minutes and when the smoke had cleared away thousands of the opposing army lay dead or wounded. General Sherman, in his report, says the engagement lasted 30 minutes and admits to having lost 2,700 men, but Captain Howell states positively it was not over 15 minutes at the most. It was the most dreadful quarter of an hour during the whole four years. Captain Howell camped in and around Dalton the winter of '63 and the spring of '64. Dalton will always give him a cordial welcome.

Belmont College Gets Money.

Charlotte, N. C., May 26.—(Special.)—John H. Buis, who recently died in New Jersey, left the bulk of his estate to the Catholic college at Belmont, located near Charlotte. It is said that $20,000 will go to this institution.

Woman's Mission Board Adjourns.

Memphis, May 26.—The woman's board of foreign missions of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, adjourned today after reelecting all of the old officers.

FLASHES FROM THE CABLE.

The Pervu Peruvian gunboat Loretto sprung a leak 40 miles northeast of the Scilly islands and sank in an hour. The crew was picked up by a French trawler and was landed at Plymouth yesterday. She left Liverpool May 23 for Para, Brazil.

Ships from Spanish Honduras bring the news that congress is still discussing Bonilla's status and that the majority will install him constitutional president, the minority seeking to appoint him provisional president for a year and order a new election.

At St. Petersburg, an explicit denial appears in The Official Messenger of the allegation that Interior Minister Von Plewhe sent a confidential letter to the governor of Bessrabia shortly before the anti-Semitic outbreak at Kishinef, in which he referred to the possibility of disorders there and the steps to be taken to suppress them.

The German-Jewish relief society of Berlin, which is seeking to relieve the Kishinef sufferers has sent an agent to Kishinef, who reports that 700 houses were destroyed, that 600 shops were sacked and about 10,000 persons, or 2,000 families, are homeless as a result of a massacre of last month. Forty-five persons were killed outright during the massacre, eighty-four were severely wounded, and 500 were slightly injured.

SHEETS' CASE WITHDRAWN.

Promoter Was Arraigned in Justice Orrs Court—Prosecution Had Warrant Withdrawn.

The case against E. L. Sheets, the promoter, who was arrested Monday night on a warrant charging cheating and swindling, was withdrawn by Judge Hines, attorney for the prosecutor, in Justice Orr's court yesterday at noon.

Why the warrant was withdrawn is not stated. After his arrest, Sheets and his wife made an offer to O. A. Willis, the prosecutor, in order to get the matter settled outside the courts and it is probable that some sort of settlement was effected before the case was called yesterday.

Willis charged that Sheets got $171 of his money for a gold and coal mine investment and made him secretary of the company at a salary of $50 a month. He claimed that he received no salary and never saw any stock. He also said that other parties had paid Sheets money. Sheets was arrested as he and his wife were about to board a train at the union depot.

SENDS DOGS TO COUNTRY

Case Against Russell Hopkins Dismissed Upon His Promise To Get Rid of His Pets.

Russell Hopkins, one of the wealthiest young men in the city, was arraigned before the recorder yesterday morning on the charge of failing to abate a nuisance.

The evidence was that Hopkins had about fifteen dogs, a donkey, a 'possum and other pets, which kept up such a noise that his neighbors were disturbed.

City Attorney Mayson represented the city and John M. Slaton represented the defense.

The defendant admitted he had the pets and said he was sorry his neighbors had been disturbed. His home, where he kept his menagerie, is at No. 275 Peachtree street.

Hopkins agreed to send his dogs out of the city for the summer and the case was dismissed. He was willing to give the donkey to the recorder, but the gift was not acepted

GEORGIA DELEGATE IS ILL.

John Matthews, of Columbus Stricken at Denver, Colo.

Denver, Colo., May 26.—The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, in national convention in this city, has voted to increase its protection fund from $200,000 to $300,000. This fund is used when strikes are called.

A number of delegates are ill. P. T. Cowles, of Charlottesville, Va., and John Matthews, of Columbus, Ga., are laid up from attacks of heart failure. Six other delegates have pneumonia.

WILL NOT GRANT REQUEST OF CITY

Comptroller General Cannot Change Taxation Methods.

Says Law Requires That Railroads Be Assessed for Taxation Each as a Unit—City Will Have To Try Mandamus Proceedings.

While he did not say what reply he would make to the demand of the city council with reference to the assessment of railroad property within the city limits for taxation, Comptroller General W. A. Wright said enough yesterday to warrant the statement that he will refuse to comply with the city's desires in the matter.

It will be remembered that the city council passed a resolution Monday directing the city attorney to demand that the comptroller general assess railroad property within the city limits in accordance with its value as city property, and not on a mileage basis. In the event he refuses to do this the resolution provides that mandamus proceedings shall be instituted in the superior court to compel compliance with this demand.

The indications are that the city will have to bring suit for the comptroller general says it is impossible under the law and the conditions of the case to comply.

Comptroller General Talks.

"The law requires that railroads be assessed each as a unit," Comptroller General Wright said yesterday. "The value of a railroad property is in its whole mileage and not in any particular mile here or there.

"It would not only be contrary to law, but it would be manifestly impracticable not to say impossible to carry out the principle which Atlanta's city council has laid down, for it would mean the same process in other towns and cities throughout the state, and even in counties, for there are many counties in which land is more valuable than it is in others.

"The trouble is the advisers of the city council have gotten mixed up on that Columbus Southern decision. They do not seem to have distinguished between the distribution of the personal property and that of the real estate which includes the track.

"Under our present plan each city or town gets its pro rata of the personal property of a railroad in the proportion that the whole property located within that city or town bears to the whole of the railroad property If one-tenth of a railroad's entire property is located in the city of Atlanta, then Atlanta gets taxes on one-tenth of all of that road's personal property

"But when it comes to a railroad's mileage, one mile of it cannot be said to be worth more than another. It is the whole railroad that is of value, and it could just as well do without a mile within the city limits as it could another mile down in Okefinokee swamp. All decisions of courts are along this line, and with these and with the law on the subject I am, of course, bound to comply."

INSURANCE NOTES.

Almost all of the accident insurance companies in the United States have for some time fought shy of taking risks on automobiles and their riders, and the terrible list of casualties that were announced in the press Monday morning will have a strong tendency to confirm the accident companies in their aversion to this class of business.

It is not that the machines possess such an extraordinary element of danger in themselves, but the reason they fear to touch the matter is because of the almost universal desire on the part of the owners of the flyers to run them at their utmost speed Chauffeurs persist in doing this in all kinds of situations, where even great speed with an ordinary horse-motored team is dangerous, and where necessarily there is absolutely practically no chance to escape an accident with these high-powered machines.

The records of deaths caused by motor-racing is a long one, and in nearly every case the fatalities were the result of the recklessness of the drivers of the speedy instruments.

Insurance men say that there will probably be no company that will undertake this class of risk unless the pastime is brought within more reasonable bounds and measures taken to prevent irresponsible riders from endangering themselves and others by their foolish exhibition of dare-devilry.

Donald M. Bain, one of the best known insurance men in the city, has returned from New Orleans, where he attended the reunion of the vets.

LeRoy W. Walter, of the firm of P. Walter & Sons, general insurance agents of Jacksonville, Fla., is in Atlanta.

John T. Argo, district manager of the New England Life, at Americus, was here yesterday.

Regnar Kidde, pay-roll auditor of the Fidelity and Casualty Company, is in the city today.

W. E. Grady, general agent of the New England Mutual, will leave today for the southwestern part of the state to attend to agency matters.

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BIG CONFERENCE ENDS SESSIONS

Many Prominent Speakers Were Heard at Atlanta University.

The negro conferences at Atlanta university grow in interest and importance each year, and this, the eighth of the series, has proven in many respects the most valuable yet held. The subject of study this year was the negro church and the moral and religious condition of the negro. The principal speakers were Rev. Dr. Washington Gladden, the eminent sociologist and president of the American Missionary Association; Professor Kelley Miller, of Howard university, the negro mathematician and writer, and Mary Church Terrell, the first president of the National Federation of Colored Women's Clubs.

The conference opened yesterday morning with an interesting story of the negro churches of the black belt. Rev. Mr. W. H. Holloway, of Thomas county, presented a statistical study of the churches of his county and their conditions.

The Rev. Dr. Gladden followed with an address on "The Relation of Young People to Church and State." He said in part:

"People who are thoroughly fitted for good citizenship and who show by their conduct that they have the disposition and the purpose to be good citizens are not going to be permanently excluded in any part of this country from the responsibilities and duties of citizenship. That is as sure as tomorrow's sun rising. It cannot be that in the United States of America, young men who are thoroughly intelligent, who know what citizenship means, who love their country, who are working to build up its prosperity and to secure its peace and who are ready to shed their blood in its defense are going to be forbidden to take any part in its government.

"The more strenuous men oppose your participation in political affairs the more zealous and diligent ought you to be in qualifying yourselves to take part in them. You are not wholly shut out from such duties; and whenever you have a chance to exercise them let every man see that they are performed with exceptional intelligence and exceptional conscientiousness; that the black man holds the suffrage as a high and sacred trust; that he cannot be bribed or led astray by the arts of the demagogue; that he puts aside his own personal interests when he votes; that he will not even use the suffrage as a means for extorting benefits for his own race at the expense of the rest of the community, but always keeps in view the general welfare; that he is always and everywhere a patriot in his political action; that when he holds an office he discharges its duties more faithfully and honestly than the white man does. I have heard of some instances of this nature since I came to Atlanta—or colored men in public station whose white neighbors testify concerning them that their conduct is blameless and their service of the highest order. Let such instances be multiplied. Hold up this standard everywhere! Rally round it all your people, set it to be your constant endeavor, your highest ambition to infuse this spirit, this purpose into the thought and the life of all colored men. Before such a purpose as that the barriers of political exclusiveness are sure to go down."

The afternoon session was the annual mothers' meeting. The principal address was made by Mary Church Terrell on "The Negro Woman and the Church."

The principal meeting took place at night, President Horace Bumstead presiding. After opening remarks by the chairman, the Rev. C. B. Wilmer made a short address. The principal speech was made by Professor Kelly Miller, of Howard university, on "Religion as a Solvent of the Race Problem." He spoke in part:

"Statesmanship, education and philanthropy have been proposed and partially exploited as agencies in the solution of this puzzling riddle of race, yet the problem seems to take on added difficulties. Religion is the only effective sanction over the conduct of an unawakened people, and affords the only solace that can enable them to contemplate their lot with fortitude and resignation.

"Religious precepts would rob the white man of his prejudices and cause him to recognize the Fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man. Christianity is contrary to the spirit of caste-spiritual kinship transcends all other relations. The race problem will be solved when Christianity gains control of the innate wickedness of the human heart, and men learn to apply in dealing with their fellows the simple principles of the golden rule and the sermon on the mount."

Many interesting figures were presented; the students of Atlanta found fifty-four negro churches in Atlanta which raise over $50,000 a year and own $300,000 worth of property. One hundred and fifteen typical churches from all parts of the country reporting to the conference had 19,640 active members, $1,976,682 worth of property, and raised last year $210,839.88 for expenses. The negro Baptists report for 1902 2,039,427 members, $12,196,130 in property and $3,425,528.11 raised for expenses.

Resolutions were adopted by the conference calling for a renewal of spiritual ideals among negroes and an expansion of church work in the lines of social reform. The arrangements for the conference were made by the secretary, W. E. Burghardt DuBois.

COMMENCEMENT AT COLLEGE.

Georgia State Industrial College To Have Exercises.

College, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—The twelfth commencement exercises of the Georgia State Industrial college will begin on next Friday, May 29, and conclude June 3. For the first time in the history of the school a committee from the university trustees, consisting of ex-Congressmen Turner and Persons, will be present. Besides them will be the commissioners, who always attend the commencement exercises. Governor Terrell, State School Commissioner Merritt, Senator Clay, Representative L. F. Livingston and Clark Howell have been invited to be present.

Since the existence of the school it has had under its instruction between 2,000 and 3,000 students. It has held three very successful teachers' institutes and has organized the wire grass farmers' conference, whose influence is extended through all the wire grass counties and throughout all counties of the state and has drawn visitors from other states.

The coming commencement is expected to be one of the best in the history of the school. The graduating class consists of twenty-six persons. All of them have a trade or have been taught the elements of agriculture and dairying. It is interesting to know that while the school has but eighty-six graduates, it has quite a large number engaged in the trades or in farming. In fact, it draws most of its male students from the farmers of the country, and these have in nearly every case returned either to their work on the farm or to teach in their farming settlements. It has all along fostered the spirit of hard work and taught the dignity of labor. Every student in the school has been required to devote four hours each day in the week except Saturday to manual and industrial labor.

Hotel Damaged by Fire.

Decatur, Ala., May 26.—(Special.)—The Tavern hotel was damaged $4,000 by a fire of unknown origin today.

FLOOR FELL; SUIT RESULTS

Jasper N. Smith Sued Because of Recent Accident at Colored Church.

As a result of the accident on April 5 at the North Atlanta mission, colored, corner of Alexander and Orme streets, at which time several persons were injured by the collapsing of the floor, suit for $2,500 damages was yesterday afternoon instituted against Jasper N. Smith, owner of the building. The action is brought by Adeline Davis, who alleges that she was injured in the accident.

The floor fell during the progress of church service on Sunday night, April 5. The petition of Adeline Davis states that she was precipitated a distance of 15 feet. She charges that the building was negligently constructed and also that the defendant, previous to the accident, had failed to properly comply with instructions from Building Inspector Pittman in regard to repairing the structure. Attorneys Smith & Wright filed the suit.

W. B. Jones, Jr., yesterday brought suit against Foote & Davies for $2,500 damages for alleged personal injuries. It is alleged that on May 14 last a portion of a finger on the left hand of the plaintiff was cut off by a machine which he was operating. The suit was filed by Attorney Edgar Latham.

A petition for a charter for the Savings and Loan Company was filed yesterday with Deputy Clerk Arch Harrison, of the superior court. The incorporators are C. A. Barrett, W. B. Roberts, A. P. Brown, T. W. McArthor and J. N. Bateman. The concern is capitalized at $10,000, divided into shares of $60 each. The privilege is asked to increase the capital stock to not more than 20,000 shares. Judge J. N. Bateman filed the application.

Transfers of Property.

The following transfers of property were filed yesterday in the office of Clerk Arnold Broyles, of the superior court:

Mrs. Helen Reed Turman to W. N. Saye, lot on the Brown's mill road 55 by 826, $100.

Helen R. Turman to W. N. Saye, lot on the Brown mill road 283 by 823, $500.

Mrs. M. E. Thornton to Mrs. Carrie Pittman, two lots on Hendricks avenue 100 by 150, $1,000.

Germania Savings bank to Sydney Johnson and Winnie Jordan, lot on Rice street 54 1-2 by 50, $750.

The New Manchester Company to Edward H. Walker, lot in College Park, on East Boulevard, 42 by 163.9, $370.

Edward H. Walker to Mildred L. Walker, same property as above, $400.

B. W. Martin to Addison Seavens, lot in College Park 129 feet 9 inches by 182 1-2, $800.

William B. Howard to A. N. Jenkins, lot on Jeptha street 33 1-3 by 100, $550.

Alid C. Harris to George W. Witt, lot corner of Oliver and Rucker streets 44 by 100, $150.

Miss Ella M. Powell to I. C. Clarke, lot corner of Franklin and Elliott streets 88 by 100, $130.

Loan Deed—Mrs. Alice M. Stanford to Atlanta Savings bank, lot on Central avenue 50 by 95, $450.

Meredith Collier, guardian of Annie Lou Collier, to Edwin R. DuBose, lot on Peachtree road 403 by 1,877, $2,000.

Cornelius King to Mrs. Ada Mozley, lot corner of Auburn avenue and Hilliard street, $945.

John Temple Graves to William T. Danforth, lot in College Park, on Princeton avenue, 100 by 190, $2,000.

Loan Deed—William T. Danforth to Miss A. V. Donnelly, same property as above, $500.

Echoes from the Piano Recital Given by the Advanced Pupils of Mr. I. M. Mayer.

While congratulations were being showered upon Mr. Mayer and his pupils for the beautiful and artistic playing done on Tuesday night at the Woman's Club rooms many expressions of high praise for the magnificence of the Conover Grand Piano were heard. Artists all over this country are recognizing the merits of this creation of manufacturer's art. This instrument embodies the high ideals of that experienced piano maker, J. Frank Conover, and is sold by the Cable Company, 96-98 Whitehall st., Atlanta, Ga. The largest music house in the south.

ENGINEER ORR MEETS DEATH.

Was Fatally Injured in Wreck Near Belmont, N. C.

Charlotte, N. C., May 26.—(Special.)—Engineer A. C. Orr, who was so badly injured in a collision on the Southern at Belmont, 12 miles south of Charlotte, this morning at 10 o'clock, died at the Presbyterian hospital in this city this afternoon at 5 o'clock. Both legs were amputated in the hope that his life might be saved.

The engine of the Southern's southbound train, No. 35, and detached freight cars collided. The fireman was injured and the engine of No. 35 and several freight cars are a mass of debris.

Mrs. McCormick Indicted.

Memphis, May 26.—The grand jury this afternoon returned an indictment against Mrs. Lizzie McCormick, charging murder in the first degree. Mrs. McCormick has been under arrest here for some time, charged with sending a bottle of poisoned whisky to a woman in Cincinnati and which caused the death of one person.

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NEGROES HELD IN SERVITUDE

Alleged That Peonage Is Being Practiced in Alabama.

United States Government Is Investigating the Charge—Chief Wilkie Gives Details of the Working of the Peonage System.

Washington, May 26.—At the request of the department of justice, the United States secret service has undertaken the work of investigating the charge of peonage, or holding another in servitude to work out a debt, which has been made against persons living in the vicinity of Montgomery, Ala. The punishment provided by the statute for this crime is a fine of not less than $1,000 nor more than $5,000, or imprisonment of not less than one year nor more than five. One man, named Robert N. Franklin, has already been indicted for keeping a negro in servitude for at least a year.

Information in the hands of Chief Wilkie tends to show that a regular system has been practiced for a long time between certain magistrates and persons who want negro laborers. It is said that the plan is to bring a negro before a magistrate on a flimsy charge. He is convicted, and, having no money to pay a fine, the white man offers to advance him the money provided the negro will make a labor contract with him for a length of time sufficient to reimburse him for the money and trouble he has taken to keep the negro out of jail. He is thereupon taken away and begins what is frequently a long term of cruel servitude, being frequently whipped for failure to perform work to the satisfaction of his employer.

An agent of the secret service who is now on the grounds will make a thorough investigation of the whole alleged system and turn over to the United States attorney for that district all information he may secure with a view to the prosecution of offenders.

Get Rid of Humors.

They are vitiated or morbid fluids that course the veins and affect all the organs and tissues of the body.

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Bloom the merry golden hours,
Hallowing the happy day;
And for you, dear, skies above
Seem to have a deeper blue,
And the world is rich with love,
Just for you, dear, just for you.

Just for you, dear, Nature's art
Is a grander, nobler thing
In the pictures of the heart,
Or the soul's imagining;
And for you, dear, as the eyes
Of the heavens, constant, true,
Lives a love that never dies,
Just for you, dear, just for you.

Just for you, dear, joy beguiles
Sunshine where the clouds are rife;
Little one with sunny smiles,
How you bless and brighten life!
Just for you, dear, time is fleet,
Hearts are happy, friends are true;
And I know that life is sweet,
Just for you, dear, just for you.
—Joseph W. Humphries, in Detroit Free Press.

Knights Elect Officers.

Huntsville, Ala., May 26.—(Special.)—The members of the new council No. 764, Knights of Columbus, held a meeting yesterday and elected officers as follows: J. P. Cooney, grand knight; A. J. Murdock, past grand knight; T. P. Grace, deputy grand knight; T. J. O'Hara, chancellor; Frank J. Thompson, financial secretary; W. J. Denham, recording secretary; J. N. Mazza, treasurer; J. A. Carroll, inside sentinel; Con Collins, outside sentinel; James McDonald, advocate; J. A. Callwan, warden; Rev. J. Burns, chaplain. Many of the new knights will go to New Orleans in a few days to assist in the installation of a council in that city.

TO GO TO CEDARTOWN TODAY.

Greater Georgia Committee Will Hold an Interesting Meeting There.

President J. K. Orr, of the Greater Georgia Association, Mayor Howell, Secretary Walter G. Cooper and J. H. Gould, of Harper's Weekly, will leave the city this morning to go to Cedartown, where a meeting of the Greater Georgia Association will be held today. The people of Cedartown are much interested in the movement, and will no doubt respond handsomely in pushing it forward.

On the return trip this afternoon the party will stop for a short time at Cartersville, where a brief meeting will be held, at which addresses will be made by Mayor Howell and President Orr.

Cotton Seed Crushers Meet.

Memphis, May 26.—The Interstate Cotton Seed Crushers' Association, comprising the states of Tennessee, Mississippi, Arkansas, Texas and Missouri, met here today in annual meeting. A large number of delegates are present.

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FUNDS FOR CAMP RATHER SHORT

But Governor Will Use None of the State Military Fund.

Governor Terrell and Adjutant General Robertson are very much worried over the news that they have received from Washington to the effect that there is only $25,000 available for the expenses of the encampment of the Georgia troops, instead of the $41,800 they supposed was there. It appears, however, that they were misinformed on the subject, and now, as the plans are being completed for the encampment, they have just been notified that there is $16,800 less than they had calculated on.

This state of affairs necessarily involves the question of an encampment for all the troops in some doubt. Governor Terrell does not know yet just what steps he will take in the matter and will not know until the calculations regarding the expenses of the encampment have been completed and laid before him. This work is now being done by Colonel W. G. Obear, inspector general, and will not be completed until the latter part of the week.

It will be some time the first of next week before any definite conclusion is reached with regard to the state encampment. Colonel Obear thinks the sum named will be sufficient to give the troops practically a week's encampment, though there will not be sufficient to pay the men for their services while in camp.

An amendment to the charter of the Central of Georgia Railway Company was granted yesterday by Secretary of State Phil Cook, giving the company the right to construct a branch line from its main line, beginning near Missionary Ridge, in Walker county, through McFarland's Gap to Cloud Springs, a distance of 2 1-2 miles, in order to reach the United States military reservation at Chickamauga park. The estimated cost of the branch line is $25,000.

The Atlanta and Birmingham Air Line Railway Company abandoned its charter yesterday and returned it to the secretary of state. The charter gave the company the right to build a line from Atlanta to Birmingham. A number of Atlanta people appeared among the charter members of the company.

As a result of the inspection of the Quitman Guards, of Forsyth, Monroe county, by Colonel W. G. Obear, inspector general, on Monday night, the company was again put on probation for a period of forty-five days from May 16. This is the second time the company has been given notice to improve its standard.

The resignation of H. A. Ledbetter as treasurer of Baker county, was received at the governor's office yesterday. Mr. Ledbetter has resigned to enter the race for clerk of the superior court to succeed the late L. G. Rowell, who committed suicide.

Governor Terrell yesterday offered a reward of $300 for the arrest of the unknown person who, on May 19, murdered George H. Worthen, of Pike county. J. T. Worthen, brother of the murdered man, also offers a reward of $300, making the total $600.

RAILWAY NOTES.

First Vice President Walker D. Hines, of the Louisville and Nashville, is in the city and will remain here for two or three days. Mr. Hines is busily engaged in the preparation of the plans of the Louisville and Nashville for entering Atlanta.

Tybee, the famous Georgia summer resort, is now open, and the usual influx of visitors anxious to escape the heat of the cities has already begun pouring in. The hotels have been renovated and the service of the Central railroad has been made so as to accommodate all, and it is expected that the rush this year will be greater than it has ever been.

J. K. Ridgely, division passenger agent of the Louisville and Nashville, with headquarters at New Orleans, was in Atlanta yesterday, leaving on the afternoon train for his home. Mr. Ridgely is very popular among a wide circle of friends, and his trips to this city are always made pleasant.

Jackson, Miss., May 26.—(Special.)—There has been considerable activity in railroad matters during the past week. The promoters of the Tombigbee River Railroad Company have submitted a proposition to the citizens of Aberdeen to build the road via that place, providing the town will subscribe $50,000 to the capital stock. This is the line which was chartered to be built from Linden, Ala., up the Tombigbee valley to Helena, Ark., and from Linden southward to Pensacola, making a gateway from the terminus of the Gould system at Helena to the deep water at Pensacola. Aberdeen is out of a direct line between Columbus and Helena, and the promoters naturally desire some extra inducement to build out of a direct route.

The citizens of Columbus have also been asked by representatives of the road to subscribe $50,000 to the capital stock and a committee of the local business men has been appointed to look after the matter. It is understood that other towns along the route will also be asked to make capital stock subscriptions. The National Guarantee Company of Chicago is looking after the financial details for the system.

Work has been resumed on the Belzoni branch of the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley road from Belzoni, which was interrupted by the overflow in the delta, and the company expects to have the line completed in time to handle the season's cotton crop. This road will be quite an addition to the already splendid facilities of that system in the delta.

The branch line of the Illinois Central to Monticello is showing good progress, as is also the new branch of the Gulf and Ship Island from Mendenhall to Columbia. None of the new roads recently incorporated have made any movements of public interest during the past ten days. The indications are that the electric road to connect the gulf coast towns is a certainty, and there is much probability of an interurban electric belt line from Jackson to Clinton, Cooper's Wells and Raymond.

Killed Brother To Save Mother.

Kyle, Tex., May 26.—Walter Blum Wayho shot and fatally wounded his brother Robert, aged 26, in defense of their mother, whom Robert was threatening to kill with a hatchet.

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MANY HEBREWS DISFRANCHISED

They Refuse To Mark Ballots Because Election Comes on Pentecost.

Chicago, May 26.—From five to ten thousand Jewish voters, if they adhere strictly to their religious precepts, will be disfranshised at the judicial election to be held here on Monday owing to the fact that Monday is the first day of Pentecost, when no Orthodox Jew will do even the amount of work required to mark his ballot. The law requires that every voter shall mark his own ballot. There is said to be no way out of the dilemma. Dr. Emil G. Hirsch, expressing his opinion on the situation said:

"On that day the strict Jew will not work and consequently will not write."

Better Than Spanking.

Spanking does not cure children of bed wetting. If it did there would be few children that would do it. There is a constitutional cause for this. Mrs. M. Summers, box 106, Notre Dame, Ind., will send her home treatment to any mother. She asks no money. Write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child. The chances are it can't help it.

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BURNS DROVE OFFICER CRAZY

Policeman Who Rescued Women and Children Put in Straight Jacket.

New York, May 26.—Prompt and heroic work by two policemen, one of whom was so badly burned that he was crazed by the pain, saved the lives of several women and children who had been caught in a burning building in Fulton street, Brooklyn, at an early hour today.

One policeman and a fireman reached the scene when one woman and children were at the windows of the building calling for help. Policeman William McAuley found Mrs. Howard Murray unconscious. He carried her to a window and then succumbed, having been burned about the face and hands. The pains from the burns crazed him and he had to be placed in a straight jacket at the hospital

In the meantime policemen and firemen had rescued the other women and children who were asleep when the fire broke out.

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SOCIETY

Beautiful Chorus Work.

THE public school concert in Browning hall yesterday at noon was a splendid success and Atlanta was shown to have one more reason for being proud of her school children.

Nearly five hundred boys and girls took part, the eighth grade of the grammar schools, and gathered to hear them was a large audience made up of the friends of education and of the children.

The large stage and the wings at each side of the stage were filled with the singers, and although this placed some of them rather far apart they kept in perfect sympathy with the conductor, Mr. B. C. Dorjs, and their work was model in every way.

The programme consisted of eight choruses, which were so varied in character and so well sung that all were interesting. Several were songs of much musical merit and the way they were treated was admirable. The children's attack was fine, their singing smooth and concisely phrased, and the "edges" were well-rounded. A feature was the quality of the voices, which, with all their volume, never lost their purity and sweetness of tone.

The ambitious programme so delightfully presented was as follows: "America," "Gondola Song," by Minard; "Summer Night," by Abt; "The Chase," by Minard; "The Rain," by Hatton; "Bolero," by Minard; "Music," by Gounod; "Our Fatherland," by Titl.

To Mrs. Stonewall Jackson.

MRS. STONEWALL JACKSON and her granddaughter, Miss Julia Jackson Christian, will be the guests of honor at a reception to be given this afternoon by Miss Lilly White, president of the Julia Jackson chapter Children of the Confederacy.

The reception will be given at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward White, 51 West Fifth street, and will be an informal but most enjoyable occasion.

The reception will be at half-past 4 o'clock and a programme of entertainment will include music and recitations by the children.

The Children of the Confederacy of Atlanta selected the name of Julia Jackson for their chapter and it is most appropriate that they of all others should pay tribute to the mother and daughter of the beautiful young woman for whom the chapter is named.

An Enjoyable Occasion.

MRS. ISAAC BOYD will be the hostess at an informal and delightful luncheon today at her home on Peachtree in compliment to Mrs. Orton Bishop Brown, who is spending the summer at her old home, "Sutherland."

The guests will include Mrs. Robert Emory Park, Mrs. Burton Smith, Mrs. Brown and Miss Mary Applewhite Bacon.

Miss Bacon is the well-known author of a number of delightful short stories, several of which have appeared recently in Harper's. She also has a story in the June Atlantic Monthly called "A Summer Morning."

Miss Cox Entertains.

MISS JULIETTE COX entertained with delightful hospitality last evening at her home in Decatur in compliment to the graduating class of the Agnes Scott.

The evening was spent in a most enjoyable manner and a number of guests were entertained in honor of the following young ladies, who, including Miss Cox, are the members of the graduating class: Miss Hattie Gaston Blackford, Miss Marion Conway Bucher, Miss Emily Anderson Winn, Miss Eillen Gober, Miss Grace Walton Hardin, Miss Rosa Audrey Turner.

To Miss Towns.

MISS TOWNS, of New York, the attractive guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Blount, is being entertained at a number of delightful affairs during her stay in Atlanta.

Last evening she was the guest of honor at a dinner and bowling party given at the Piedmont Driving Club by Mr. Anthony Byers.

Those present besides Miss Towns were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Evins, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Blount, Miss Nannie Nicolson, Miss Janie Speer, Miss Ada Alexander, Mr. John Little, Mr. Howell Peeples, Mr. Frank Orme and Mr. Richard Bell.

Graduating Exercises.

THE graduating exercises of the Prather Home school will occur on Thursday, May 28, 4:30 p. m., at the Grand opera house.

There will be a brilliant programme of vocal music, choruses and solos and an artistic drill supported and interspersed with orchestral music.

The Rev. Richard Orme Flinn will address the class.

The friends of the school are invited and can obtain free admission tickets at Lester's book store, the Baptist Publication Society or the box office of the Grand.

The graduates are:

Misses Edith Remington Tanner, Susan May Sawtell, Florence Nightingale Smith, Susan Louise Cobb, Juanita Stovall Tyler, Margaret Ellison Barnes, Selma Adelaide Allen, Cecil Nimmo Hollis, Georgia Lucia Watts and Frances Louise Watts.

To Miss Collins.

MRS. E. E. EAGAN entertained at an enjoyable musical last evening at her home on Merritts avenue, in compliment to Miss Helen Collins, who leaves soon for her home in Asheville, N. C.

Mrs. Eagan was assisted by some of Atlanta's most prominent people and an unusually delightful programme was given.

The guests included a number of the music lovers of the city and the occasion was one of pleasurable interest.

Garden Party.

The Joseph Habersham chapter of the Daughters of the Revolution will give a garden party at the Piedmont Driving Club Saturday afternoon from 5:30 to 6:30 o'clock.

The receiving party will consist of the newly elected officers of the chapter, the retiring officers, the board of managers and the entertainment committee.

The affair will be strictly for the members of the chapter and their guests.

Meetings.

The regular monthly meeting of the Atlanta circle of the King's Daughters and Sons will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock, 720 Austell building.

All members are urged to be present as the plans for the new Hospital for Incurables will be shown and all necessary changes will be made.

The executive board of the Atlanta Woman's Missionary Association will hold its regular monthly meeting in the rooms of the Baptist Publication Society today, 10:30 o'clock, a. m.

Social Items.

The Wednesday Whist Club meets this morning with Mrs. Albert Howell, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Austell left yesterday for New York.

Miss Ada Scott Rice, editor woman's department, Nashville American, spent Sunday in the city with Mrs. W. W. Austell.

Miss Mamie Lamar Hollis has returned from Nashville, where she has been attending school.

Miss Janie Mansfield is visiting her grand parents in Chattanooga.

Miss Agnes Watson, of Thomson, Ga., daughter of Thomas E. Watson, is the guest of Miss Juliette Cox, in Decatur.

Miss Julia Porter will entertain at cards on Saturday morning in compliment to Miss Susan Calhoun and Miss Martha Langston.

Miss Lula Calloway will entertain at a buffet supper Thursday evening in compliment to Miss Mamie Latimer.

Misses Nan and May duBignon have returned from Nashville.

Miss Mary C. McNeal has returned from a visit to Nashville and Chattanooga.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney K. Morse, of Philadelphia, are in the city for several days.

Miss Frances Carter entertained at a bowling party last evening at the Piedmont Driving Club in compliment to Miss Sue Chisholm, of Charleston, S. C., the guest of Miss Anise Cay.

Mr. Alexander Irvin has returned from a visit to Washington, Ga.

Mr. Harry Holliday, who is now making his home in Jacksonville, Fla., is in the city.

Mr. Clarence Angier, Jr., and Mr. Sidney Mitchell have returned from New Orleans.

Mrs. Arnold Broyles will entertain at flinch tomorrow morning in compliment to Miss Susan Calhoun.

Miss Julia C. Kendrick, of Alabama, will be the guest the latter part of the week of relatives on Washington street.

Mrs. George Howard entertained informally at luncheon yesterday in compliment to Mrs. Orton Bishop Brown.

Mr. Guy W. Sullivan, of Baltimore, is in the city.

Miss Rosalie Louise Ivy is the guest of Miss Belle Cannon, in Winder, Ga.

Invitations have been received in Atlanta to the wedding of Miss Nita Fagan and Mr. C. Clarence Waterman, of Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Chloe Mitchell and Miss Shatteen Mitchell leave soon for a visit to relatives in Griffin.

Dr. and Mrs. S. Y. Jameyson and family will spend the summer in North Carolina.

Miss Ruth Frazier will spend the summer in western North Carolina.

Miss Della Disbro has returned from Birmingham, Ala.

The luncheon given yesterday by Mrs. Alexander King in compliment to Miss Susan Calhoun was a beautiful affair.

Miss Belle Nash will spend several weeks in Cedartown.

Dr. Julian P. Thomas, of New York, is in the city.

Miss Towns, of New York, will visit her grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Towns, in Newnan, before returning home.

Mrs. Belle Stallings has returned to her home in Greeneville, Ala.

Miss Lizzie Gann leaves next week for New York to visit the Misses Gilman.



JULIA JACKSON CHRISTIAN, Granddaughter of Mrs. Stonewall Jackson.



MRS. STONEWALL JACKSON, Who is a Guest in Atlanta On Her Way Home After the New Orleans Reunion.



MISS LILLY WHITE, President of the Julia Jackson Chapter, Children of the Confederacy.

The piano recital given Tuesday evening at the Woman's Club rooms by the Misses Janie Lon McFarlin, Lollie Dugger, Nell Steinheimer, Elma Warlick, and Mr. John G. Moore, advanced pupils of Mr. I. M. Mayer, was one of those recherche affairs which always characterize the concerts given by Mr. Mayer's pupils. The young artists showed most excellent technical as well as musical equipment.

How To Take "Snap Shots."

St. Nicholas: Now, my dear young photographer, whoever you may be—possibly you are just like Robert in that you have never before realized what a "snap-shot with brains" is. You have never discovered what your little pocket camera may be made to do when you think before you snap. It does not depend so much on what you take as on how you take it. Summer is here, and on land and water your camera can be made an interesting companion. Let me suggest to you a few experiments you may not have thought of before. I do not claim them as original, but they will do to begin with, and they will, doubtless, suggest others to you.

1. Water pictures. Stand on a pier about 6 or 8 feet above the surface of the water, and point your camera at your friend swimming or floating below. If your "subject" can swim under water, and the water is clear, you will in this way obtain pretty studies of reflection and refraction. Then try to take persons diving and jumping into the water; but do not be disappointed if at the first few trials your nims show only a part of the body or the tip of the feet. It is not easy to catch a quickly falling object in the center of your picture.

2. Moon pictures—really setting-sun pictures. Just before the sun sets the actinic rays are weak. You may point your lens directly at the sun, without fear of fogging your plate. Water is an important factor in a picture of this sort, because it shows reflected light. The effect is enhanced by having one or more objects in or near the reflected path of light—either in the foreground or background.

3. Lightning pictures. People have said to me: "How can you snap the shutter just as the flash comes?" You don't. You point your lens at a retreating thunderstorm—at night. Then open your shutter, and leave it open until you have caught one or more flashes on the film. As it is night, you may keep your lens open until nearly dawn without fogging your plate.

4. A few hours with your friend the camera can be made to teach you quite as much about perspective and the laws of light and shade as many a textbook.

Hundreds of new ideas will suggest themselves to you when once you have begun to put your mind upon what you are doing, and your frivolous "snapping" may be changed into a most interesting study. Try it and see.

The Business Ideal.

Andrew Carnegie in the World's Work: I never see a fishing fleet set sail without pleasure, thinking this is based upon the form which is probably to prevail generally. Not a man in the boats is paid fixed wages. Each gets his share of the profits. That seems to me the ideal. It would be most interesting if we could compare the results of a fleet so manned and operated with one in which men were paid fixed wages; but I question whether such a fleet as the latter exists. From my experience I should say a crew of employees v. a crew of partners would not be in the race.

The great secret of success in business of all kinds, and especially in manufacturing, where a small saving in each process means fortune, is a liberal division of profits among the men who help to make them, and the wider distribution the better. There lie latent unsuspected powers in willing men around us which only need appreciation and development to produce surprising results. Money rewards alone will not, however, insure these, for to the most sensitive and ambitious natures there must be the note of sympathy, appreciation, friendship. Genius is sensitive in all its forms, and it is unusual, not ordinary, ability, that tells even in practical affairs. You must capture and keep the heart of the original and supremely able man before his brain can do its best.

REFORMATORY PROPOSED FOR NEGRO CHILDREN

By Isma Dooly.

THE movement on foot among a number of the progressive negroes in Atlanta to establish a reformatory for negro children, was one of the interesting subjects of discussion at the last meeting of the Atlanta Woman's Club, and one meeting with the hearty indorsement of the members. The matter was brought before the club by Mrs. Alice Muse Thomas, who explained that the movement had grown out of the recent meeting, in Atlanta, of the National Conference of Charities and Correction; various sessions having been attended by a number of Atlanta's most progressive-spirited negroes.

Individuals from among these, both men and women, are interesting themselves in securing the necessary funds for the establishment of the reformatory, and certainly there is no move as yet undertaken by the Atlanta negroes in the direction of helping themselves, that should meet with more hearty cooperation on the part of the white people.

There is no use to more than refer to the sickening stories that are told of the number of petty offenders of both races, confined in the city stockade, to convince all right-minded citizens that a change must be made in the matter of protecting and punishing the youthful criminals of both races. Until there is established the more intelligent system of dealing with such crime in the "juvenile court" and through the probation system, the reformatory would seem for the present the only direct means of partially lessening growing condition of criminality among the hundreds of negro children who swarm upon certain of Atlanta's streets.

To those who are but casual observers of the educational progress of the day and especially the educational interest directed toward the negro, it is rather remarkable that little or no money has been given toward the very basic principle of all education—the education of the child through that most wonderful achievement in modern educational systems—the kindergarten.

Glancing in any direction from the windows of any of Atlanta's boasted "skyscrapers," the eye falls upon some imposing structure where philanthropy is making it possible for the negro adult to pursue any line of education which he may select. Yet a tremendous element of the future citizenship, who are supposed to grow to prove the right of their race to claim "racial ideals" and "standards," and their right for the same education the white man receives, are swarming the streets, and becoming inevitably victims of crime—that species of crime that dulls the youthful mind and soul, and that all the high pinnacled colleges and universities in the world cannot wipe out.

Although several efforts have been made to establish negro kindergartens, in several of the states of the central south the sentiment has never been far-reaching and comparatively nothing has been done in that direction. All thinkers along educational lines have long since decided that in those congested centers of the city where the white child is the child of the "superior" race the kindergarten is the basic principle of education, and yet when it comes to the negro child of the "superior" race, he is supposed to possess his youthful mind and soul in purity and patience, or to lie asleep and some day waking up in the college and university establish his right of citizenship, his right of equality.

Until this theory, at present being extensively practiced, is proved in a degree (at least) impracticable, and one small fractional part of the millions being expended for the education of the negro in schools, colleges and universities be directed systematically toward the negro child, it would seem that the best that can be done is in the establishment of the reformatory.

And as the step for the movement is taken by the negroes themselves, in their effort to better their own conditions, thereby becoming more useful to themselves and the community, it would seem that the thoughtful citizens of Atlanta should not only indorse the movement, but practically cooperate in the establishment of the reformatory.

THEATERS.

The Grand.

Another fine audience witnessed the second performance of "Hearts Aflame" by the Joseph Kilgour stock company at the Grand last evening, the members being received with every whit as much enthusiasm as on the opening night. If applause counts for anything the company has already ingratiated itself into the good will of local theater-goers and future productions will, doubtless, but serve to make the members of the organization even more appreciated. One of the big hits made on the opening evening and duplicated again last night was the excellent protrayal of two very different and difficult parts by Miss Grace Gibbons. Not every one in the audience realized that this captivating and winsome little woman was Alison Deyo in three acts and La Caprice in the second. Such, however, is a fact, and only serves to accentuate the versatility of the members of Mr. Kilgour's splendid company. There is not a single member but is thoroughly capable of essaying dual roles with equal success. Miss Gibbons' enthusiastic reception was no surprise to her friends because they know her to be equal to any task however difficult. Miss Eleanore Browning has made countless friends by her excellent work as Mrs. Harmony, a very trying character and one whose requirements make great demands for fine emotional work.

The first matinee of the week will be given this afternoon and a large audience will doubtless attend.

The Bijou.

The Giffen Musical Comedy Company has won fresh laurels in its production of the English musical comedy, "The French Maid." In many respects the attraction is stronger than the piece that served to introduce the organization to the Atlanta play-goers.

"The French Maid," is a rattling good entertainment. It has some good, strong parts and a great many that are entirely interesting. In fact there is scarcely a principal that has not an assignment, while to fill out all the talking parts, the stage manager has had to make a draft on the chorus. The music is more tuneful, more delighting than the first show, and the numbers are far better dressed. For instance in the song "Sammy" so cutely rendered by charming Miss Deyo, the selected chorus assisting her, shows that a fine bit of judgment was used in the selection of costumes.

Miss Dora de Fillipe has a rather difficult task before her. She had so little to do in "The Girl From Paris" that she did not have the chance to make as many admirers as some of the other principals and the result is that though she has the principal assignment in "The French Maid" she has not the support out front now that she will have before the end of the week, for merit has never failed to win appreciation in this land of the free and brave.

The Jasino.

The opening of the first summer theater Atlanta has ever had will be recorded Monday night when the Ponce de Leon Casino will inaugurate its first season.

The opening attraction will be the Giffen Musical Comedy Company in the light and airy musical comedy "The Lady Slavy," a bill that is said to be one of the strongest in its repertoire.

The sale of seats will open Friday morning at the Bijou box office and the same scale of prices that has governed the admission to the Bijou will prevail.

The Ponce de Leon Casino is an exact duplicate of the Ocean View Casino and Mr. Wells has made improvements over that summer theater which until now was conceded to be the finest summer play house in the country.

SHORT ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

A PETITION TO HAVE I. SINKOVITZ, a merchant, declared a bankrupt, was yesterday filed in the United States district court by the Home bank, of Baltimore, and A. I. Jaffa and A. Swartzberg, of Atlanta. The petitioners allege that their joint claims amount to about $1,000 and that the defendant committed acts of bankruptcy by admitting in writing that he was unable to pay his debts and that he was willing to be adjudged a bankrupt. A petition for the appointment of a receiver was also filed and under this petition Judge Newman appointed H. W. Visanska. The petitioners are represented by Mayson, Hill & McGill.

G. W. COOLEY, A COMMISSION salesman, yesterday filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy. He schedules his liabilities at $6,661.65 and his assets at $350. He is represented by C. D. Maddox.

JUDGE W. T. NEWMAN YESTERDAY took up the trial of the case of Oscar P. McCarty, a fireman, who is suing the Charleston and Western Carolina railway for $25,000 for alleged injuries received in a collision at Devery station on the line from Charleston to Augusta, December 5, 1901. C. T. Ladson represents the plaintiff and Evins & Spence the railroad. The trial of the case will probably consume several days.

THE SECOND OF THE SERIES OF three prize drills of the Fifth regiment, Georgia state troops, will be held at Lakewood on Monday night. The company attaining the greatest number of points in the three drills will win the trophy, which is a beautiful loving cup offered by the Atlanta Grays. The first of the drills, which was held recently, was won by the Atlanta Rifles by a close margin.

JOHN A. LAMBERT, THE FLORIST, yesterday filed a petition asking that he be declared a bankrupt. In the petition he schedules his assets at $100, while his liabilities, he says, amount to $6,082.50. The petition was filed by S. D. Johnson as his attorney.

THE MEETING OF THE TEACHERS' committee of the board of education, which was postponed until this afternoon at 3 o'clock, will be again postponed until a later date on account of the fact that Mayor Howell will be out of the city today with the Greater Georgia committee. Mayor Howell desired to be present at the meeting and it was deferred on this account. There are something like a hundred new applications for teachers' places before the committee.

NEARLY ALL OF THE COUNCIL committee will hold meetings this week since the regular meeting of council will be held next Monday, only one week intervening between the two meetings. The tax committee will meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The committee on claims will meet Friday afternoon at the same hour. Other meetings of committees will be arranged later.

THE CASE OF THE LOUISVILLE and Nashville railroad against the Florida railroad commission and a number of judicial district attorneys of that state is now in the hands of Judge Pardee, who will hand down his decision within the next few days, very probably. The suit is brought by the railroad in an attempt to escape a ruling by the railroad commission ordering it to charge a maximum fare of 3 cents a mile, with 1 1-2 cents a mile as half rate, and involves questions of considerable interest in Florida railroad circles. The division of the Louisville and Nashville concerned is the Pensacola and Atlantic line.

PEARL WILLIAMS, THE NEGRO woman who was locked up because she was a dangerous lunatic, was to have been tried by the recorder yesterday afternoon on the charge of idling and loitering in order to get her case settled one way or the other, but she was not in a condition to appear in court. She was tried for lunacy about a month ago and the jury found her sane. The police declare she is as dangerous a lunatic as was ever at large.

J. W. BRADFORD AND J. J. CARter, two young white men, were arraigned in the recorder's court yesterday afternoon for creating a row Monday night in a house at the corner of Magnolia and Ellis streets. One of them is said to have fired a pistol. A pistol was found on Bradford and he was bound over for carrying a concealed weapon. Carter was fined $15.75.

THE CHIEF OF POLICE HAS issued an order instructing his men to put a stop to peddlers selling goods in front of stores. He says there has been much complaint of peddlers stopping their wagons opposite stores and selling goods for hours at a time, thereby interfering with the trade of merchants who pay a license.

MRS. IDA C. HADAWAY, WIFE OF A. E. Hadaway, died yesterday morning at 11 o'clock at her residence on Arthur street, Sherman Heights. She had been ill a long while. The deceased is survived by her husband and two children. Funeral services will be conducted this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Glenn Street Baptist church by Dr. Virgil Norcross. The interment will be in Westview cemetery.

ROY EWING, THE 7-YEAR-OLD SON of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Ewing, died yesterday morning at the residence of his parents on the Flat Shoals road. The body will be taken to Lithurn this morning for interment. Funeral services will be conducted there.

FUNERAL SERVICES OVER THE body of T. A. Conklin were conducted yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence, 207 Ivy street. The interment was in Westview cemetery.

FUNERAL SERVICES OVER THE body of Earl Jernigan, child of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Jernigan, were conducted yesterday morning at the residence, 288 Clark street, by Dr. Virgil Norcross. The interment was in Oakland cemetery. The child died Sunday night.

MILTON A. MAGBEE, BOOKKEEPer for Charles W. Crankshaw, died yesterday at his residence, 354 Cherry street, of consumption. The deceased is survived by his wife and four children. Funeral services will be conducted this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

ADDIE HILL, COLORED, WIFE OF Miles Hill, butler for Attorney Carroll Fayne, died yesterday at her residence, 221 East Cain street. Funeral services will be conducted at the residence this afternoon at 2 o'clock and the interment will be in the colored portion of Oakland cemetery.

A MEETING OF THE LOCAL EXECUtive committee, of the Baptist Young People's Union, will be held Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the office of Professor M. L. Brittain, at which time the official headquarters for the International Baptist Young People's Union convention will be selected. The convention meets in Atlanta July 9 to 12 and will be one of the greatest religious gatherings ever held in the south. It is expected that about 8,000 delegates from all sections of the world will attend.

Notice to Teachers.

The annual examination of applicants for positions as teachers in the Montgomery public schools will be held in the High School building, Montgomery, Ala., June 9, 10 and 11, 1903. For information in regard to vacancies, salaries, etc., address the superintendent of schools. By order of the board of education. Charles L. Floyd, superintendent.

LONG TIME

To Get Over Hurt of Coffee.

It sometimes takes a long period to get over the effects of coffee drinking. A little woman in Wadesboro, N. C., says: "I was a coffee drinker and a sufferer from dyspepsia, stomach trouble, nervousness and the train of disorders that follow.

"On the advice of an eminent physician I cut off my coffee allowance to one cup a day at breakfast. That helped me a little, but I gradually got worse, and finally became ill, badly run down, and so depressed in mind that I did not care how the scales turned.

"At this time I was induced to leave off coffee altogether and take Postum Food Coffee. That was in September. I had also a dish of Grape-Nuts for breakfast. I practically lived on Postum Food Coffee and Grape-Nuts for some time. In November I had made considerable improvement and knew that at last I was on the road to health. At Christmas time I felt well enough to go through that glorious feast with comfort and happiness. In January I was much improved over the previous month, and had gained very considerable in flesh, how many pounds I don't know. My strength and color were much improved. My appetite and digestion in every way good. I ate what I pleased and with much enjoyment.

"About that time a clergyman friend visited us and on Sunday morning when he was going to preach I had a strong cup of Coffee made for him because he was in a run down, nervous condition and said that he needed the stimulant. Well that was a sad day for me. I thought I was well enough to drink a cup of coffee with him and did so. If was strong but did not taste right. I was interested in his conversation and found that I was adding, from time to time, more cream and sugar for some way I realized the beverage did not taste as it should, then I remembered it was coffee and not Postum. I like Postum better than I do coffee.

"That day the old symptoms of stomach trouble came on and while it seems almost impossible, it is nevertheless true, that I never got back again to my state of health for about two months. The coffee acted as an active poison that went all through my system. However, I have recovered by leaving it off entirely and using Postum and now that I am well, happy and contented you could not get me to take a cup of coffee, no not for a king's ransom. I believe I am one of the kind that know when I have had enough." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.



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Lauzon and Wright Both Knocked Home Runs—Six Doubles for Crackers, Five for Travelers—Travelers Bunched Hits in Fine Shape.

Southern League Standing.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Memphis	22	14	8	.636
Montgomery	25	14	11	.560
Atlanta	26	14	12	.538
Little Rock	21	11	10	.524
Nashville	23	12	11	.521
New Orleans	23	11	12	.478
Birmingham	23	10	13	.434
Shreveport	21	6	15	.285

National League Standing.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per C.
New York	31	22	9	.709
Chicago	34	23	11	.676
Pittsburg	36	21	15	.535
Cincinnati	32	17	15	.515
Boston	30	15	15	.500
Brooklyn	32	16	16	.500
Philadelphia	33	9	24	.272
St. Louis	35	9	24	.257

American League Standing.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per C.
Chicago	29	18	11	.620
Cleveland	26	15	11	.576
Detroit	29	16	13	.551
Philadelphia	31	17	14	.548
Boston	28	14	14	.500
St. Louis	27	12	15	.444
New York	29	13	16	.448
Washington	29	12	17	.412

"O, I say, Snif," began Snap, as the large crowd of disgusted Atlantans were filing slowly out of the ball park yesterday afternoon, "there wus never anything like it in th' history of baseball in 'Lanta, and I've been er hangin' aroun' this here park ever since ma fust toddled me out ter sell papers."

"You see it wus this way, Snif: The Crackers was short on pitchers terday, an' w'at them Travelers frum Little Rock did fur 'em was er plenty, an' it made Mique Finn smile all over an' behind his ears. They batted Southpaw Ruehr clean out er th' box, and then th' way they pounded Wild Bill Clarke wus somethin' fierce. They took one home run, five doubles, an' seven singles off Wild Bill, an' four singles off Ruehr.

"There's this thing about it, though, Snif, th' Crackers did some hittin' themselves, smashin' out er home run, six doubles, an' six singles off that guy Watt, who they say is th' best twirler th' Travelers has in their sack. Now with all that hittin' done off th' best in the bunch, w'at would th' Crackers have done if they could er had er geezer in th' box w'at could pitch?

"I had th' best knot hole in th' fence terday, an' one w'at Manager Ab don't know nothin' erbout, an' I seen it frum the beginnin'. Th' very way it started off I felt like th' Crackers were in fur er good drubbin'.

"Ruehr, he started in the box fur Powell, an' he shore Mike did look lazy w'en he went in. Th' fust man up fur th' Travelers went out ter Cap'n Bob, but th' secon' tapped out er clean safe hit. Th' third went down to fust on er error of Ruehr, an' th' fourth one hit. Th' fifth went out frum Koler to Cap'n Bob, an' th' sixth hit. Th' next un hit, an' though th' eighth was thrown out frum Gruelner to Cap'n Stafford, in all four men had scored and four had hit. It wus as plain as sunshine that Ruehr wus off, an' so Manager Ab just took him out.

"Well, it's too long er tale to tell of how them Travelers whizzed aroun' the bases an' made th' other runs, but it wus in th' seventh innin', after that guy Wright had knocked ernother home run in th' sixth (an', by th' way, Snif, he was th' same geezer w'at pounded out er home run in th' fust game), that th' fireworks opened up on Wild Bill. Up ter th' seventh Bill had pitched er fairly good game, but O, gee, how they opened up on him then. Two-baggers were pounded out so fast er feller could not keep any count on 'em. I remember three right tergether w'en Lynch, Delehanty an' McCann cum up to bat. Erbout that time I thought th' fireworks wus not goin' to quit, an' before they did, them three doubles, two singles an' er error of Kennedy had scored four more runs fur th' Travelers. He held 'em down very nicely in th' eighth, but lettin "em cross th' plate, but in th' ninth them fellers frum Little Rock opened up erg'in' an' with two more doubles an' er single scored three more runs.

"I knew it wus all up then, an' though th' Crackers did make er grand stand rally in th' ninth, w'en, after two men wus out, Lauzon come up and biffed out er home run over th' left field fence. Cap'n Bob followed, an' got ter fust on er error of short, an' then Koler clouted out er two-bagger ter left and scored the Cap'n.

"O, I say, Snap," broke in Snif, "didn't th' Crackers cum mighty near doin' somethin' before th' ninth?"

"Sure they did, an' it wus in th' seventh. Dick Crozier started it off in this innin' with a two-bagger, th' fust he has got since he cum. Pug Bennett follered with er double an' Winters did th' same trick. If Lauzon an' Koler hadn't er flied out ter left, an' if the cap'n hadn't er fanned, they would have scored more than two runs.

"It's er sad, sad story, Snif, an' I don't like ter talk erbout it, for I did think th' Crackers would take terday's game frum them guys."

The Official Score.

LITTLE ROCK—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Gilbert, cf	5	0	2	5	0	0
Murphy, 2b	6	1	1	1	3	0
Lynch, c	5	2	1	3	1	0
Delehanty, 3b	5	2	2	2	1	0
McCann, lf	5	3	3	3	0	0
Wright, 1b	5	4	3	11	0	2
Clark, rf	5	0	2	1	0	0
Manning, ss	5	2	3	3	2	1
Watt, p	5	0	0	0	2	0
Total	46	14	17	27	9	3

ATLANTA—	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Crozier, lf	5	1	1	1	0	0
Bennett, 3b	5	2	2	1	2	1
Winters, rf	5	0	1	1	0	0
Lauzon, cf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Stafford, 1b	5	1	1	16	2	1
Koehler, ss	5	1	2	1	5	1
Kennedy, c	4	0	1	2	1	2
Gruebner, 2b	4	0	2	1	6	0
Ruehr, p	0	0	0	0	0	1
Clarke, p	3	1	2	1	1	1
Total	40	7	13	27	18	7

Runs by innings:
Little Rock . . . 4 0 0 0 0 3 4 0 3—14
Atlanta . . . . . 1 0 0 1 0 0 3 0 2—7

Watt—Innings pitched, 9; opponents at bat, 46; hits by opponents, 13; runs scored by opponents, 7; bases on balls, 2; number struck out, 3; wild pitch, 1.

Clarke—Innings pitched, 8; opponents at bat, 38; hits by opponents, 13; runs by opponents 10; bases on balls, 1; number struck out, 1; wild pitch, 0.

Ruehr—Innings pitched, 1; opponents at bat, 5; hits by opponents, 4; runs scored by opponents, 4.

Summary—Two-base hits, Bennett 2, Crozier, Winters, Koehler, Clarke, Mobling, Wright, Lynch, Delehanty, McCann; Home runs, Lauzon, Wright; bases on errors, Little Rock 8, Atlanta 3; stolen bases, Gruebner, Delehanty, McCann 2, Mobling 2; double plays, Gruebner to Stafford to Koehler to Kennedy; left on bases, Little Rock 4, Atlanta 3; passed balls, Kennedy. Time of game, 210. Umpire, Mace. Attendance, 1,950.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Montgomery 5, Shreveport 1.

Montgomery, Ala., May 26.—Stultz was in fine form this afternoon and the Shreveport team did not have a show. Whistler put one over the fence with a man on bases. A running catch by Fisher, the Shreveport right fielder, was the fielding feature.

Score:

	R	H	E
Montgomery	0 1 0 1 0 1 0 0 2	5	11	2
Shreveport	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1	1	7	5

Batteries—Stultz and Clark; Kolb and Graffius.

Birmingham 4, Memphis 2.

Birmingham, Ala., May 26.—Memphis lost today's game through inability to hit Smith and beautiful fielding by Birmingham. Of the three hits made by Memphis, two of them were flukes, but they were lucky in getting them all in one inning and escaping a shut out.

President Kavanaugh today announced the retirement of Umpire Maco and the appointment of Goldsby in his place. Goldsby is an oldtime ball player and at one time managed the Birmingham club. Attendance, 922.

Score:

	R	H	E
Birmingham	0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 1	4	8	1
Memphis	0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0	2	3	3

Batteries—Smith and Brown; Breitenstein and Stratton.

Nashville 3, New Orleans 1.

Nashville, Tenn., May 26.—Manager Fisher's timely hit in the ninth inning won the game for Nashville today. Umpire McDermott put Leidy and Hurley out of the game for squabbling. Attendance, 2,000.

Score:

	R	H	E
Nashville	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2	3	6	2
New Orleans	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	7	3

Batteries—Johnson and Fisher; French, Hurley and Drury.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston, May 26.—Pittsburg found Pittinger very easy in the sixth inning today and pounded out five runs. Six hits, including Bransfield's double and Phelps' home run drive, tells the story.

Score:

	R	H	E
Boston	0 0 1 1 1 1 0 0 0	4	10	2
Pittsburg	0 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 0	10	15	0

Batteries—Pittinger, Malarkey and Moran; Kennedy, Doheny, Phelps and Smith. Time, 2:05. Umpire, Johnstone. Attendance, 2,759.

Cincinnati 10, Philadelphia 1.

Philadelphia, May 26.—The locals scored their only run in the third inning on Frazer's triple and a long fly. Cincinnati won with ease.

Score:

	R	H	E
Cincinnati	0 0 0 0 5 0 4 1 0	10	13	2
Philadelphia	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	7	2

Batteries—Suthoff and Bergen; Frazer and Zimmer. Time, 1:45. Umpire, O'Day. Attendance, 1,551.

New York 4, Chicago 3.

New York, May 26.—New York won from Chicago today and the local men now lead the pennant race. Mathewson was not at his best and made three wild pitches.

Score:

	R	H	E
New York	2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1	4	8	2
Chicago	0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0	2	6	4

Mathewson, Bowerman and Warner; Taylor and Kling. Time, 1:45. Umpire, Emslie. Attendance, 12,320.

Brooklyn 13, St. Louis 6.

Brooklyn, May 26.—Brooklyn outplayed St. Louis at every stage of today's game. The base running for the winning side was a big factor in run getting. Attendance, 2,100.

Score:

	R	H	E
Brooklyn	2 0 0 3 6 0 1 1 0	13	19	2
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 2	6	8	3

Batteries—Schmidt and Ahearn; Lovett, M. O'Neil and J. O'Neil.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago 3, Boston 2.

Chicago, May 26.—The locals played in poor form in the field today, but with Dunkle's good pitching and by bunching their hits won a close game.

Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 0	3	7	4
Boston	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1	2	5	1

Dunkle and Sullivan; Hughes and Criger. Time, 1:38. Umpire, Carruthers. Attendance, 2,100.

Philadelphia 8, Cleveland 2.

Cleveland, May 26.—Philadelphia made it two out of three today. Waddell pitching his second game of the series.

Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1	2	6	2
Philadelphia	2 3 0 0 1 0 2 0 0	8	11	1

Wright, Dorner and Berris; Waddell and Schreckengost. Time, 1:45. Umpire, Connolly. Attendance 3,157.

Detroit 3, St. Louis 0.

Detroit, May 26.—Kitson pitched masterly ball on a wet field today and shut out St. Louis.

Score:

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	4	3
Detroit	0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 *	3	8	2

Powell and Sugden; Kitson and McGuire. Time, 1:40. Umpires, O'Loughlin and Hassett. Attendance, 1,703.

ODDS GIVEN ON RELIANCE.

New Yorker Bets Yacht Will Win in Every Race.

New York, May 26.—Not a possible chance for the America's cup is conceded to Shamrock III by a yacht owner and member of the New York Yacht Club who has wagered $1,500 to $1,000 that Reliance will win in one, two, three order. David Barrie, Sir Thomas Lipton's commercial manager in this country, took the bet.

Mr. Barrie was somewhat astonished when the American, in discussing the chances of the yachts, made the bold statement that Shamrock III would not take one of the series of the races, but when the offer was made to back the opinion at the odds quoted, he promptly covered. Mr. Barrie acknowledged that his wager has been made, but refused to name the member of the New York Yacht Club whose money he expects to win.

TERRY McGOVERN IS SICK.

Match with Battel Will Have To Be Postponed.

New York, May 26.—Terry McGovern will not be in condition to fight Abe Battel at Fort Erie on Memorial day, and Sam Harris, his manager, has asked Manager Hermann, of the Canadian Club, for a two weeks' postponement. A physician said McGovern was suffering from malaria and would have to stop training. Manager Harris says he can send him to Mount Clemens and get him in condition to fight two weeks after next Saturday if he can get the match put off until that time.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

Buffalo 4; Newark 3.
Worcester 10; Rochester 5.
Baltimore 3; Providence 2.

INJUNCTION WINS JOCKEY CLUB RACE

In a Driving Finish Girdle Could Not Last.

BLUES WAS MADE FAVORITE

Erratic Horse Flattered Backers by Leading to the Stretch, When He Swerved and Was Passed by Injunction and Girdle. Jockey Suspended.

New York, May 26.—The Jockey Club weight for age race, the feature of the card at Morris Park today, was won in a driving finish by Injunction. Frank Farrell's erratic Blues was an odds on favorite and flattered his backers by jumping off and racing out in front. Going down the back stretch he was four lengths in the lead. In the stretch he sulked and Injunction and Girdle both passed him. He finished last.

The stewards of the National Steeplechase and Hunting Association suspend the license of Jockey Hunt for his ride on Gould in the hurdle race.

FIRST RACE—Hurdle race, 1 3-4 miles: Ohnet, 158 (Songer), 11 to 20, won; Draughtsman, 160 (Harris), 12 to 1, second; Victor, 154 (Hayden), 20 to 1, third. Time, 3:21 1-2. Gould, Moroton, Gibson Light and Blacksmith ran.

SECOND RACE—The Eclipse course: Ink, 110 (Bullman), 11 to 5, won; Pipe, 107 (Gannon), 5 to 1, second; Thoughtless, 105 (Burns), even, third. Time, 1:15. Bell Gardo, Northern Light and Knockabout ran.

THIRD RACE—Seven furlongs: Red Knight, 100 (Gannon), 9 to 10, won; Futurita, 95 (Waugh), 8 to 1, second; Joe Cobb, 100 (Fuller), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:26 1-2. Duke of Kendal and Colonsay ran.

FOURTH RACE—Amateur cup, gentlemen riders, mile. Arrah Gowan, 143 (Mr. Taylor), 20 to 1, won; McWilliams, 146 (Mr. D. C. Kerr), 9 to 5, second; Knight of the Garter, 149 (Mr. Mather); even, third. Time, 1:45. King Carter, True Blue and Andalusian ran.

FIFTH RACE—Jockey Club, weight for age race, mile and a furlong: Injunction, 109 (Gannon), 12 to 5, won; Girdle, 104 (Burns), 5 to 2, second; Blues, 129 (Fuller), 7 to 10, third. Time, 1:54 3-4. Three starters.

SIXTH RACE—Mile, selling: Rockey, 105 (Haack), 6 to 5, won; Syrlin, 108 (Feicht), 8 to 5, second; Dark Planet, 99 (Creamer), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:41. Scoffer, Hist, Glennevis and Knight Templar ran.

Today's Entries at Morris Park.

First Race—Mile, selling: Bar le Duc, Morokanta, 105; Blue Victor, 102; Scoffer, Reckless, Dark Planet, Sir Rache, 100; Sparkle Esher, Showman, 96; Rosanco, Pittacus, 92; Louise E. Stone, 90.

Second Race—Five furlongs of Eclipse course, selling: Grand Vitesse, Alpine, Matinee Girl, Gananogue, 104; Fortune Hunter, 102; Australina, May Holliday, Moorhen, 99.

Third Race—The Eclipse, 5 1-2 furlongs das, Precious Stone, 122; Palm Bearer, of Eclipse course: Broomstick, 127; Leonil-119.

Fourth Race—The Belmont, 1 mile and 3 furlongs, over the hill: Africander, Rigodon, Whorler, Mexican, 126.

Fifth Race—Steeplechase, about 2 1-2 miles: Baby Bill, 156; Neponset, 154; Jim Newman, 136; Semper Ira, 135; Cheval d'Or, Perion, 134; Victor, 133; Tankard, 132.

Sixth Race—Six and a half furlongs, selling: Sadduccee, 117; Past, 110; Bonus, 105; Sparkle Esher, 104; Scoffer, 103; Mowich, 102; Eloim, Tommy Foster, 100; Reckless, 94; Daring Sailor, 91; Judge Fulton, 86; Geisha Girl, 84.

AT ST. LOUIS

ELASTIC, AT 16 TO 5, WINS FEATURE EVENT

weather was cloudy and sultry, a large crowd attended the fair grounds races today. The close finish of the third race created considerable excitement, only a head separating the first three horses in the last six strides. They finished Cast Iron, Pathos and Never Such. Elastic, at 16 to 5, won the feature of the card, galloping by three lengths. Track fast.

FIRST RACE—Five and a half furlongs: Lady Vashti, 103 (McKenny,) 6 to 1, won; Kitty Cut-a-Dash, 100 (Earl), 5 to 1, second; Dolly Gray, 104 (D. Austin), 9 to 5, third. Time 1:09. In Doubt, Belle of West Port, Lexington Bess, Marchioness, Anzeiger, Juliet Jones, Kitty Flyer, St. Vitus, Deer Hunter, Jean Gravier and Duke Dashaway ran.

SECOND RACE—Four and a half furlongs: Sara Rose, 108 (Troxler), 5 to 1, won; Billy Knight, 110 (Dominick), 11 to 10, second; Cognomen, 104 (Donegan), 16 to 1, third. Time :56. Little Pirate, Brick Fowler, Imboden, Handzer and Nannie Hodge ran.

THIRD RACE—Mile and an eighth: Cast Iron, 114 (Troxler), 5 to 1, won; Pathos, 90 (Birdwood), 4 to 1, second; Never Such, 92 (Higgins), 40 to 1, third. Time 1:57 3-4. Ecome, El Caney, John Bull, Kunja and Nandora ran.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs: Elastic, 120 (Dale), 16 to 5, won; Santa Ventura, 100 (Wainwright), 6 to 1, second; Nickey D, 105 (Donnelly), 4 to 1, third. Time 1:14 1-2. Mabel Winn, Louis Wagner, Buccleuth, Schawrzold and Kindred ran.

FIFTH RACE—Mile: Flint Lock, 110 (Dominick), 9 to 10, won; Light Opera, 100 (C. Bonner), 6 to 1, second; Pirateer, 103 (Earl), 12 to 1, third. Time 1:42 3-4. Nimble Down, Oudenarde, Dr. Hoischer, Bourke Cockran, Ed Bishop, Josie F and Golden Glitter ran.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and 20 yards: Brown Vail, 100 (Wolff), 7 to 1, won; Dr. Carrick, 110 (Dominick), 15 to 1, second; Crime, 90 (L. Wilson), 8 to 1, third. Time 1:45 1-4. General Dix, Called Back, King Barleycorn, Tammany Chief, Eugenia S, Chorus Boy, Blue Sea, Edna Kenner and Socopa ran.

Today's Entries at St. Louis.

First Race—Five and a half furlongs, selling: Bendara, 97; Ben Hullum, 106; Broodler, Approved, 102; George Fabb, 102; Rose Court, 107; Zirl, 95; Reducer, 112; Lady Idris, 103; Madabel, Miss Dora, 100; Joe Goss, Clinter B., Baronet, Dr. Jones, 105.

Second Race—Four and a half furlongs, selling: Gus Heidorn, Selected, 100; Matt Wadleigh, 105; Ann Dear, 95; Getchel, 103; J. W. O'Neil, 107.

Third Race—Six furlongs: Lady Charlotte Poseur, Feronia, Grand Shot, Hannah Lady, 101; Ranchman, 106; Pettijohn, Little Giant, 108.

Fourth Race—Mile and a sixteenth, handicap: Prince Richard, 85; Ben Chance, 100; W. B. Gates, 107; Alice Turner, 103; Kitty Clyde, 98; Jack Young, 102; Orris, 104.

Fifth Race—Seven furlongs, selling: Cellulose, 103; Lelia Barr, Orleans, Dr. Scharff, 100; Sir Christopher, 98; Hobart, 107; Lynch, Nearest, 105; Mattie Spencer, 99.

Sixth Race—Mile and sixty yards, selling: Fanny Knox, 96; The Black Scot, 100; Georgia Gardner, 100; Tony Lepping, 99; Leenja, 93; Dawson, 105; Ice, Hansborough, 97; Eliza Dillon, 95; Terra Incognita, 108; Kisme, The Messenger, Varner, Socapa, Rastus, 102.

Ball League for Macon.

Macon, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—The Central City is to have a league of baseball teams within itself. Seven clubs are now organized and when the eighth is added an organization will be effected and a regular schedule will be arranged.

The druggists now have a team, as have also the harness makers, the Central railroad, the firemen, the policemen, the Exchange bank and the postoffice. Some of the teams are in good shape and can put up a good game. Baseball is popular here and games between these teams will draw well.

STRIKES.

LINE-UP OF TEAMS FOR TODAY'S GAME.

The Crackers and Travelers will play the third of the series at Piedmont park this afternoon, beginning at 3:45 o'clock.

The teams will line up in batting order as follows:

Atlanta.	Little Rock.
Crozier, lf	Gilbert, cf
Bennett, 3b	Murphy, 2b
Winters, rf	Lynch, c
Lauzon, cf	Delehanty, 3b
Stafford, 1b	McCann, lf
Koehler, ss	Wright, 1b
Matthews, c	Clark, rf
Gruebner, 2b	Mahling, ss
Ely, p	Guese, p

Home runs were too common to be exciting.

Two-base hits attracted little more attention than an ordinary punt.

Wright batted out a home run, adouble, a single and crossed the plate four times. How's that for one game?

Bennett came in for two doubles and two runs. Pug is playing the game these days.

Manager Finn sat in the press box Monday, and the Travelers lost. He sat on the bench with the players yesterday and they won. Manager Mique says the boys always lose when he is away from the bench. He says he will sit on the bench today.

Crozier took his first hit yesterday and it was a beauty double to deep left. That was but a starter, Dick will uncork them right along now.

In the natural order of things three home runs should be batted out today—Wright, Stafford and Lauzon are the boys to do the work.

The fanatics missed Matty in the game yesterday. Kennedy is a good steady backstopper, but he has not the ginger of Matthews.

Ruehr's work was a complete ddisappointment to the fans. The boys have been counting on this young southpaw, and when he showed up in such poor form yesterday they did not know how to take it.

Out of seven chances only one error was recorded against Koehler at short. He is fast and furious on his feet and will be the best in the business as soon as he gets used to taking them off the ground.

They do say that Watt is the best in the bunch of Travelers when it comes to the twirling art, and yet it is rumored that the Crackers took thirteen hits off of him yesterday, one of which was a home bagger, five doubles and seven singles. All of which goes to prove what we have said all the time—the Crackers are a bunch of hitters.

An Associated Press dispatch from Birmingham, Ala., states that President Kavanaugh has released Umpire Mace and appointed Walter Goldsby in his place. Umpire Mace sustained an injury in the ear in the second New Orleans game last week. Umpire Goldsby is an old baseball player, and it is thought he will give satisfaction.

Manager Finn is superstitious, which leads him to believe that it will bring bad luck to have the home plate broom on his side of the foul line. When Henry, the ground keeper, insisted on having the broom on the Little Rock side yesterday it was thrown over the fence by Gilbert. Manager Finn attributes yesterday's victory to the throwing away of the broom.

The following "dots" are from The New Orleans Picayune on last Sunday's game:

"The knockers did not have much chance with Stafford yesterday. He drove out two liners for two bags each, in old-style form, and sent the knockers to the tall timber.

"'Mobile' Lauzon, whom a great many thought would not be in the going this year, has been playing better ball and hitting better than ever before. Lauzon was married last winter and has settled down. His playing shows it.

"Koehler made the sensational catch of the day. He raced in for a short fly back of second, reached for it and staggered to hold his feet. The crowd cheered him, although his catch cost one run at least.

"It was all due to Atlanta's ability to find and hit safely Dannehower's delivery, for the Pelicans backed up their little lefthander in great shape. A lack of ability in hitting Weying played some part in the outcome, also."

And still the plot thickens. The following special from Little Rock was published in The New Orleans Picayune of Monday morning:

"Little Rock, Ark., May 24.—President Kavanaugh said tonight regarding today's game in New Orleans: 'Several days ago both the New Orleans and Atlanta clubs joined in a request to be allowed to play today a championship game. They agreed that it should be transferred from a later series with Atlanta and New Orleans. I instructed my private secretary to wire authority for the game today. If such authority was received prior to today's game, it will be counted in the official standing.'"

Shortstop Harry Clayton, of the Little Rock team, has been sent home by Manager Finn, who states that Clayton has been sick and not able to be in the game. This does not mean by any means that Clayton has been released. Mahling, who was released by Finn to Pine Bluff and recalled by President Aaron Frank, left yesterday afternoon for Birmingham and will probably be in this afternoon's game.

Fergus, the University of Arkansas boy who was sent for by Finn on Jack Egan's recommendation, as a shotstop, has been turned loose, and will go back to Fayetteville. Fergus was never given a trial in a game, but in his warming-up he suffered badly from stage fright and messed 'em up baddly. When he loses his nervousness he may break into league ball.

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FLYING TORPEDO MADE THEM STARE

He Runs Away Mile and Half and Then Wins Race.

MURESCA, AT 15 TO 1, WINS

Defeats Tom Maybin, 13 to 5, in the Second Race—Majority of the Events at Worth Were Won by Well-Backed Horses.

Chicago, May 26.—Flying Torpedo, favorite in the fourth race today at Hawthorne, performed one of the most remarkable feats ever seen on a race track. While scoring at the post the big horse unseated his jockey and then ran away nearly a mile and a half at top speed over a track which was deep in mud. Although a good field was opposed to him, Flying Torpedo started and won the race, which was at a mile, as he pleased.

Weather clear; track slow.

FIRST RACE—Four and a half furlongs: Glisten, 105 (H. Phillips), 3 to 2, won; Jennie Moore, 105 (H. Booker), 13 to 5, second; Wreath of Ivy, 105 (Helgerson), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:08 3-5. Ida Davis, Susie Christian and Native Daughter ran.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs: Muresca, 102 (Houbre), 15 to 1, won; Mimo, 102 (H. Phillips), 7 to 1, second; Tom Maybin, 108 (Henry), 13 to 5, third. Time, 1:21. Glassful, Worthington, If You Dare, Joe Martin, Lord Touchwood ran. Barn Fullen left at post.

THIRD RACE—Steeplechase, short course: Crest, 158 (Owens), 6 to 5, won; Dr. Nowlin, 140 (Hueston), 5 to 2, second; Itacatiara, 136 (Cochran), 9 to 1, third. Time, 2:53. McLaren fell.

FOURTH RACE—Mile: Flying Torpedo, 104 (Birkenruth), 9 to 5, won; First Chip, 90 (Houbre), 13 to 1, second; Airlight, 93 (Helgerson), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:50 2-5. Hargin and Hookwink ran.

FIFTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles: Lou Woods, 104 (H. Booker), 14 to 5, won; Omdurman, 111 (J. Booker), 6 to 1, second; Illuminate, 99 (Robbins), 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:59 2-5. Marcos, Ed Adack, Elghor and Farrell ran.

SIXTH RACE—Seven furlongs: Lampoon, 96 (Helgerson), 3 to 1, won; Fake, 104 (H. Phillips), 5 to 1, second; Safeguard, 92 (Knapp), 8 to 1, third. Time 1:37. Galba, Prince of Africa and Henry of Franstamar ran.

Today's Entries at Worth.

First Race—Four and a half furlongs: Lesh, 110; Pat Hammon, Falkland, 104 Guinsburg, Firbane, Preakness, Sol Smith, 110; Alice Morgan, General Steward, Touchstone, Lucy May, Annora J, 107.

Second Race—Mile: Lemo, 112; Caxton, Pirate, Orfeo, 104; Linguist, 110.

Third Race—Six furlongs: Loone, Alice Dougherty, Howendobler, Slap Dash, Spurs, Bob Ferrel, 108; Goodsense, Prue, Francis N, 104; The Caxton, 103.

Fourth Race—The Vernal stakes for 2-year-olds, $1,500 added, 5 furlongs: Patsy Brown, Berry Lynch, 121; Salto, 118; Proceeds, Tryon, Ellwood, 113.

Fifth Race—One and a quarter miles, selling: Barrack, 111; Prince of Africa, Moor, 106; Compass, 99; Springstead, 84; Hanvic, 108; Rampoosa, 89.

Sixth Race—Mile: Joe Martin, 124; Harney, Mike Strauss, 115; James J. Corbett, 111; Optional, 108; Della Ostrand, 101; Prince Webb, 112; Alline Abbot, Pupil, 108.

AT LATONIA

DICK WELLS, IN GALLOP, WINS BREWERS' HANDICAP

Cincinnati, May 26.—Dick Wells, the American derby candidate from the stable of Rome Respess, won the Brewers' handicap at Latonia today in a gallop. It was the colt's first start of the year, and as the bookmakers did not have him figured quite fit for a race, they laid the liberal odds of 2 1-2 to 1 against him. Dick Wells got off in front and breezed the entire distance of 6 furlongs in 1:13 1-2. Woodlake, winner of the Latonia derby, finished fifth. The weather was clear and hot; track fast.

FIRST RACE—Six and a half furlongs: St. Wood, 103 (C. Kelly), 15 to 1, won; Ethel Davis, 107 (T. Knight), 8 to 1, second; Little Duchess, 107 (Crowhurst), 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:21 3-4. Fleuron, Frank Mac, Axares, Antolee, Temptness, Premus, Nellie Bawn and The Stewardness also ran.

SECOND RACE—Five furlongs: Silk Maid, 103 (T. Knight), 11 to 5, won; Dorice, 103 (Reed), 16 to 1, second; Geranium, 106 (Crowhurst), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:01. Lyrist, Memories, Snow Cap, Obiedo, Dellar Hunter, Laura Ireland and May Easter also ran.

THIRD RACE—One mile and 70 yards: Aimless, 103 (B. Davis), even, won; Adelante, 108 (Crowhurst), 8 to 1, second; Welsh Girl, 102 (Lindsey), 9 to 1, third. Time, 1:47. Glenwood, Bichello, Tufts, Little Gem and Belle of Worth also ran.

FOURTH RACE—Brewers' handicap, net value $1,155, 6 furlongs: Dick Wells, 112 (T. Knight), 5 to 2, won; Jack Ratlin, 118 (Landry), 3 to 5, second; Nilee, 99 (. O'Connor), 13 to 5, third. Time, 1:13 1-2. Bardolph, Woodlake and Harlem Lane also ran.

FIFTH RACE—Five furlongs: Japan, 105 (Crowhurst), 10 to 1, won; Lonsdale, 108 (J. O'Connor), 30 to 1, second; Marshal Ney, 105 (S. Bonner), 60 to 1, third. Time, 1:02 1-4. Batts, Gay American, Prince of Pilsen, Ocyrohe, Brancas, Scipio, Turrando, Jim Ferran and C. B. Williams also ran.

SIXTH RACE—One mile: Kilmorie, 102 (Lindsey), 3 to 1, won; Shogun, 109 (S. Bonner), 12 to 5, second; Goo Goo, 102 (Bliss), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:43. Flauntles[illegible]ora Bright, Not Wisely, Spring Water, Fair Lass, Prosidor, Artist, Fire Bush and Mr. Dooley also ran.

Today's Entries at Latonia.

First Race—Seven furlongs, selling: Easter Boy, Blackmore, John Drake, 101; Gold Victory, Baron Knight, 95; Daisy Hawthorne, Murmur, 90; Onanetta, 99; Rococo, 92; Class Leader, 87; Honey Brook, 104; Lysbeth, 94.

Second Race—Five furlongs, purse: Pleasant Girl, Sue W, 103; May Comba, Danube, San Marius, Rice Na, Soufriere, 106; Snow Cap, 110.

Third Race—Seven furlongs, selling: Pepper Dick, Quiz II, The Boer, Phosphorus, 101; Velasquez, Little Gem, 99; Little Corker, 100; Kinford, 108; John C. King, 95; Jigger, 100; The Common, 104; Planeur, 109.

Fourth Race—Five furlongs, purse: El Donoso, False Entry, Japan, Risiper, Lampadrome, Judge Lauders, Huckleberry Finn, 104; Port Warden, Requisite, Circular Joe, St. Paris, Bombast, 108; Watermelon, Jovial C. 101.

Fifth Race—Mile and 70 yards, handicap: Esherin, *Mary Glenn, 98; Glenwood, 94; Miss Mae Day, 106; Bummer II, 90

PRESENT PRICES ARE NOT TEMPTING

Some New Orleans Factors Predict 13 Cents for Spot Cotton.

IT IS OFFERED SPARINGLY

Yesterday's Advance Was Led by New Orleans, Where the Bull Leader Bid 12c for August. Stocks Closed Firm at About the Best.

New Orleans, May 26.—Spot cotton was in fair demand, but factors are offering but little at present prices. Some of them express the belief that cotton will go to 13c per pound. Favorable cables, the rapid advance in Liverpool and the extraordinary upward strides in futures strengthens the views of the holders of spot cotton. Sales 2,125 bales, including 1,125 to arrive. Quotations unchanged.

Futures from the opening of the market were very active and showed advances all along the line. July was up 5 points, August 21, September 14, October 10, November 7 and December 8. Realizing sales created what offering there was. The market showed a great deal of strength. It was the general expectation that the weekly government report would be decidedly bullish, and as usual traders started in to discount its effects before the report should be read. The report, however, was not at all sensational, and its reading caused scarcely a ripple about the ring. During the day July sold up to 12.50, August 12, September 10.36, October 9.50 and December 9.33. Under realizing sales prices eased off a few points, the list at the close showing net gains of 6 points on July, August 12, September 21 and 11 points on each of the active new crop positions.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	12.43	12.50	12.43	12.45
August	11.88	12.00	11.88	11.91-92
September	10.22	10.36	10.22	10.34-35
October	9.49	9.50	9.43	9.50-51
December	9.26	9.33	9.22	9.31-32

The following was the range of cotton contracts in New York yesterday:

MONTH	Opening	Highest	Lowest	Last Sale	Closing Bid	Closing Asked
May	11 50	11 60	11 23	11 23	11 23	11 28-24
June	11 26	11 26	11 23	11 24	11 23	11 23-25
July	11 25	11 28	11 10	10 25	11 25	
August	10 86	10 86	10 70	10 81	10 81-82	
September	10 00	10 03	9 93	9 90	9 99-10	
October	9 61	9 63	9 50	9 62	9 61-62	
November	9 50	9 50	9 43	9 50	9 50-51	
December	9 45	9 50	9 40	9 49	9 49-50	
January	9 36	9 50	9 42	9 49	9 49-50	
February						
March						
April						

Futures closed firm.

Following table shows receipts, exports and stock at all ports yesterday:

	RECEIPTS		EXPORTS		STOCKS	
	1903	1902	1903	1902	1903	1902
Saturday	4099	1582	4133	101	509668	465969
Monday	4217	1951		319	514574	461541
Tuesday	4171	5301	12173	7064	509715	454057
Wednesday						
Thursday						
Friday						
Total	13087	8834	16306	8875		

The Liverpool Market.

Liverpool, May 26—12:15 p. m.—Cotton, spot, demand limited with prices firm; middling uplands 6.38; sales 6,000 bales; American 5,400; speculation and export 500; receipts 3,000; American 2,700.

Futures opened steady.

	Open'g.	Closing.
May	6 13	6 16
May-June	6 11	6 13-14
June-July	6 05	6 09-10
July-August	6 04	6 05-06
August-September	5 89	5 91-92
September-October	5 47	5 51-52
October-November	5 16	5 21
November-December	5 07	5 10-11
December January	5 04	5 08

Futures closed steady.

Cotton Region Bulletin.

For the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m., 75th meridian time, May 26, 1903.

STATIONS OF ATLANTA DISTRICT.	Temperature Max.	Min.	Rain(fall), inches and hundredths.
Atlanta, part cloudy	87	73	.00
Chattanooga, clear	88	64	.00
Columbus, part cloudy	94	69	.00
Gainesville, clear	89	65	.00
Greenville, cloudy	90	61	.00
Griffin, part cloudy	91	70	.00
Macon, clear	92	70	.00
Monticello, clear	95	69	.00
Newnan, clear	93	65	.00
Rome, clear	91	63	.00
Spartanburg, cloudy	95	67	.00
Tallapoosa, clear	88	69	.00
Toccoa, clear	92	63	.00
West Point, clear	99	65	.00

CENTRAL STATION.	Number of stations report'g.	District Averages. Temperature Max.	Min.	Rainfall, inches and hundredths
Atlanta	14	92	66	.00
Augusta	11	94	68	.01
Charleston	5	94	70	.14
Galveston	30	84	68	.00
Little Rock	15	86	66	.00
Memphis	16	88	66	.00
Mobile	10	90	64	.00
Montgomery	10	90	64	.00
New Orleans	15	88	66	T
Oklahoma	7	94	70	.00
Savannah	12	98	70	.04
Vicksburg	13	90	64	.00
Wilmington	10	84	64	.04

Remarks—Light showers have occurred in the extreme eastern districts; no precipitation in the central and western sections during the past 24 hours except an average amount of "trace" reported from New Orleans district. The temperature continues high over the belt.

J. B. MARBURY,
Local Forecast Official.

T indicates trace of rain or snow.

Review of New York Market.

New York, May 26.—The cotton market opened firm at a decline of 2 points to an advance of 11 points, the decline being confined to the spot option. The advances were due to better Liverpool cables than expected, and while the immediate climatic conditions were favorable and estimates for port receipts heavy as compared with last year, the market continued to show an advancing tendency. July reaching 11.28, August 10.86 and September 10.03 with the general list 10 to 12 points higher except May, which showed evidence under liquidation by "tailers." The advance was again led by New Orleans, where the bull leader was reported to be bidding 12c for August after having forced the market up from 10.88 for that option. At the higher levels attained here, however, there was considerable profit taking and a reaction was brought about of several points, which was increased when the summary of the regular weekly report of the weather bureau was read, showing a slightly less unfavorable condition than expected. When the details of this were published, however, was responsible for another sharp rally, occurring mostly in the late months, under covering and fresh buying orders in those positions. From 11.15, the low point for July, 10.70 for August and 9.93 for September, the market was forced back to about the best point of the day with the New England bull leader reported a heavy buyer, particularly of the autumn months. The close was firm at a decline of 29 points on May, which closed at 11.23, to an advance of 6@13 points elsewhere. Total sales, futures, were estimated at 600,000 bales.

Trading during the day, while fairly active, was not so spectacular as during some sessions recently, though sentiment remains nervous and unsettled.

Receipts at the ports, estimated early at about 6,000 bales, turned out considerably less than expected, the figures being only 4,711 bales, against 5,291 bales last year, and this assisted in the late upturn. Estimates for tomorrow's receipts at leading points were full.

Hubbard Bros. & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

New York, May 26.—Liverpool is feeling the effect of the poor crop reports which have gone forward of the new crop. While the government report today shows a slight improvement in the western and central districts, the report does not change the idea that the crop has had a poor start. May has been for sale all day with July taking its place as a manipulated position. August has been weak all day, while the May crowd have been heavy buyers of December. The advance in Liverpool is ascribed to the desire to close engagements before the holidays and the poor reports. The temper of the local trade is to expect a reaction abroad, but consider new crops a purchase on any decline. From the weakness in May and the extensive buying of December by the May bulls, it is assumed that some settlement of the outstanding short interest in May had been reached. It is estimated that fully 40,000 December were bought during the afternoon. The spot market was quiet at 20 points decline.

Weekly Crop Bulletin.

Washington, May 26.—The weekly crop bulletin of the weather department is as follows:

Heavy rains from Oklahoma and Arkansas, northward to Minnesota and the Dakotas, have retarded work in these districts. Drought has been largely relieved in the Ohio valley, lake region and southern portions of the middle Atlantic states, but continues with greater severity on the northern portion of the last named district, while light rains would be beneficial generally throughout the gulf states.

CORN—In the southern states corn has made favorable progress.

WINTER WHEAT—In the southern portions of Missouri and Kansas winter wheat has suffered some deterioration, but elsewhere in these states and in Nebraska the crop continues in promising condition. Winter wheat is now heading in the more northerly districts, the reports from the Ohio valley and middle Atlantic states indicating that it is heading low.

OATS—In the states of the Missouri valley oats have made favorable growth and generally improvement is reported from Michigan and Illinois. In the Ohio valley and middle Atlantic states the outlook is less promising. Harvesting is general in southern Texas, Georgia and Florida.

COTTON—There has been a general improvement in the outlook for cotton, especially in the middle and western districts, but the crop is generally late. Portions of Mississippi and northern Texas continue to suffer for rain, and boll weevils are reported from several counties in southern Texas, where cutworms also are causing damage as well as in some central counties. Considerable replanting is necessary in the Carolinas, Georgia and Texas.

TOBACCO—More favorable progress has been made with transplanting tobacco in the Ohio valley, but in the middle Atlantic states little or none had been set up to the close of the week. Much needed rain fell in Maryland and Virginia, placing the soil in favorable condition for this work. Plants in Virginia and eastern Kentucky are failing. In the Carolinas tobacco is buttoning low.

GRASS—Grass has been greatly improved in the Ohio valley and lake region and continues on the promising condition in the Mississippi valley, but in middle Atlantic states a short crop is promised.

The Dry Goods Market.

New York, May 26.—Further advances in brown and colored goods have been made, with manufacturers determined to secure more of margin. Buying has been moderate, but sellers are not forcing business and have little to sell.

Cothran & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

New York, May 26.—The feature of the day was the comparative strength in the new crop months, and the absence of strength in July; that is, while July ruled only slightly over yesterday's figures, October sold up to 9.62, and held most of the advance throughout the day. The weekly report was decidedly more favorable than the majority had anticipated, but the showing did not seem to bring about as much liquidation and bear hammering as might have been expected at the present level. Two or three very shrewd operators sold out the fall positions, not caring to be caught long at 9 1-2c a pound at this season of the year. There was more or less pressure in July, partly as a result of the accumulation of the cotton on this center. The bull party in May will have considerably over 150,000 bales to turn over on July, and the supply of cotton in New Orleans is even larger than this. It means that Mr. Brown will have to finance a deal involving over 300,000 bales of cotton and a little figuring shows how much money a deal of this kind will require. We would not undertake the buying of cotton at the present time, and look for a break in prices before long.

Baxter & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

New York, May 26.—The market opened 9 to 12 points higher on a fairly good demand. Cables were fully up to expectations, and there was an absence of buyers, which is expected to become so pronounced as the season advances that prices for the new crop months are expected to move up very swiftly, especially if it should appear that the crop is not doing so well, as now appears to be the case. Higher prices are inevitable when we consider that the movement will be on such a small scale at the tail-end of this crop. Spot stuff is hard to get, and will be harder still from now on and until new cotton begins to move. May weakened sharply in the first hour, but nevertheless the general market showed a good deal of strength, and the bull party in New Orleans were large buyers of large blocks of August. Cut worms were hurting the Texas crop, and on the whole the poor reports came largely in the majority, which inspired the bulls with decided confidence. Closing cables were steady at 4 to 10 points net advance. Showers were indicated for most sections in Texas. The weekly bureau report on the whole was mixed and generally better than expected.

Atlanta Brokerage Co.'s Cotton Letter

New York, May 26.—There was a moderately active trade in the cotton pit Tuesday, though there was a lack of the rush and excitement which has been so conspicuous in the market during the past few weeks. The Liverpool advices were more satisfactory, though the movement of cotton generally continued quite substantial and the weather map continued to note conditions which are still working to the best interests of the growing crop. The trade in general today came from a greater number of sources than for some time past. Europe, the south and commission houses bought the late months quite freely at times on the theory that the weekly crop report would make a bullish showing. The bureau report stated that the crop situation on the whole was more favorable, however, and intimated that the lateness was being overcome in some sections of the belt. The New Orleans market, however, led the local in that the bull leader made a bid of 12c for 20,000 bales of August. He got very little cotton, and while his action was credited with being a bluff, in an effort to feel the lay of the land, it did the work—that of creating a bullish feeling. The late market was rather nervous. The general run of news affecting the spot market was unchanged, though prices for spots locally were somewhat easier. The late market showed a disposition on the part of many interests to hold off from the present market pending a clearer idea as to the intentions of the New Orleans bull crowd. On the close opinions were conflicting. The port receipts for the week continued to be estimated at 40,000 bales, as compared to 20,564 for the same week last year. The port receipts for the day were figured at 6,000 bales against 5,291 bales for the same day last year.

Boston Wool Market

Boston, May 26.—The wool market generally is quiet, but there have been several large transactions by mills. There is very little change in prices, though an upward tendency is noted. Territory wools have been the leading factor in the market at these quotations: Fine staple wool scoured 52@53c; fine 50@52c; fine medium 47@48c; medium 42@44c. Trade in fleeces quiet, prices held firmly; Ohio and Pennsylvania XX wools are unchanged at 31@32c; X 28@29c; No. 1 and 2, 30@31c; Michigan X and above 25@26c; No. 1 and 2 26@27c; Australian wools firm, though quiet, owing to small offerings.

Allen-Miles Co.'s Hide and Leather Letter.

Chicago, May 26.—Packer hides steady at prices last quoted, but market inactive, as Texas steers are absent; also branded cows. Six thousand February to June native steer hides sold at 11 1-4c; for February and early March 11 1-2c; for late March and early April 11 3-4c; for late April and 12c for May. Country market firm except calf skins. Buffs 8 3-4c asked; 8 5-8c bid and refused. One dealer claims a sale of two cars of extremes 8 5-8c. Tallow quiet; city renders 5c asked; 4 7-8c bid. Greases easy; yellow 4 1-4c; brown 4 1-8c.

Cotton Seed Oil and Meal.

New York, May 26.—Cotton seed oil was dull and easier, being offered more freely for June shipment. Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 34@35 1-2c; prime summer yellow 41 1-2@42c; off summer yellow 38c; prime white 46@47c; prime winter yellow 46@47c. Prime meal $27@27.50, nominal.

Memphis, May 26.—Cotton seed oil car lots per gallon, prime crude nominal; off crude 25@34c; off summer yellow nominal; choice cooking summer yellow, less than car lots, nominal. Cotton seed meal—Prime $19.50@20. Cotton seed cake—Prime $20.

New Orleans, May 26.—Cotton seed oil, prime refined in barrels 42 1-2c; off refined in barrels 37c; prime crude, loose, 33c.

Florida Fruits and Vegetables.

Atlanta, Ga., May 26.—Strawberries 8 to 10c per quart; tomatoes, $1.25@1.75 per crate; peppers $1@1.25 per crate; egg plants $1.75 per crate; lettuce $1.25 to $1.50 per crate; beans $1.25@1.50 per crate; peas $1.25 to $1.50 per crate; celery $2 to $2.50 per crate; $2.25@2.50. New Irish potatoes, No. 1, $1@1.25 per crate; per barrel $3.75@4.25.

THE SPOT COTTON MARKETS IN DETAIL.

MARKET.	Tone.	Middling.	Net Receipts.	Gross Receipts.	Sales.	Stock.	EXPORTS TO Gt. B't'n.	Coastwise.	Continent.	France.
Atlanta	Steady	11⅝	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Galveston	Steady	11 7-16	1,225	1,225	173	30,503	.....	.....	.....	.....
Norfolk	Steady	11¾	375	10	5,175	.....	.....	237	.....	.....
Baltimore	Nominal	11¾	.....	150	.....	3,627	.....	.....	.....	.....
Boston	Quiet	11.90	109	341	.....	.....	146	.....	.....	.....
Wilmington	Nominal	10½	.....	.....	.....	5,678	.....	.....	.....	.....
Philadelphia	Quiet	11.98	.....	.....	.....	3,685	.....	.....	.....	.....
Savannah	Steady	11¾	597	597	12	15,678	.....	45	.....	.....
New Orleans	Firm	11 9-16	2,203	2,203	1,000	77,012	8,479	.....	1,709	.....
Mobile	Nominal	10⅝	98	98	.....	1,825	.....	87	.....	.....
Memphis	Quiet	11⅝	469	519	750	11,485	.....	.....	.....	.....
Augusta	Firm	11½	.....	1	54	3,367	.....	.....	.....	.....
Charleston	Firm	11	.....	.....	.....	2,228	.....	134	.....	.....
Cincinnati	Quiet	9¼	107	107	.....	11,661	.....	.....	.....	.....
Louisville	Firm	11⅜	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Louis	Firm	11¼	10	1,415	.....	12,252	.....	.....	.....	.....
Houston	Steady	11 7-16	601	601	31	10,624	.....	.....	1,338	.....
New York	Quiet	11.70	163	3,839	4,012	163,530	500	.....	.....	.....

Total receipts today, 4,771. Exports to Great Britain today, 9,125; to continent, 3,047. Consolidated receipts 3 days, 13,087. Exports to Great Britain 3 days, 11,216; to continent, 5,089. Total receipts since Sept. 1, 7,560,033. Exports to Great Britain since Sept. 1, 2,704,009; to France, 750,862; to continent, 3,702,915; to Japan, 134,606.

OFFICIAL RANGE AND SALES OF STOCKS.

Railway Stocks.	Sales	High.	Low.	Today	Sat'day.
Atchison	36,150	75¼	73⅝	75¼	73½
do. preferred	600	95⅜	95¼	95½	94⅜
Baltimore and Ohio	30,660	89	87⅜	89	87½
do. preferred	350	91	90⅜	90½	89
Canadian Pacific	16,300	128¼	126⅝	128	126¼
Canada Southern	.....	.....	.....	68½	69
Chesapeake and Ohio	1,825	40⅜	39⅜	40⅜	39¼
Chicago and Alton	1,200	28⅞	28	28⅝	27½
do. preferred	150	69	69	68⅝	67½
Chicago and Great Western	1,900	20⅝	20¼	20½	20
do. A preferred	600	74	71	74	71
do. B preferred	100	35⅜	35⅜	34¼	34¼
Chicago and Northwestern	1,145	175⅝	175	175	173
Chicago, Term. and Trans.	500	15½	15	15	15
do. preferred	525	26	25	25½	25
C., C., C. and St. Louis	.....	.....	.....	87½	86½
Colorado Southern	700	20	20	19	19½
do. 1st preferred	.....	.....	.....	62	61½
do. 2d preferred	2,025	29¼	29	29	29
Delaware and Hudson	350	173	172½	173¼	171½
Delaware, Lack. and West.	200	250½	250	250	250
Denver and Rio Grande	700	33	32½	33⅛	31
do. preferred	300	85	85	84⅜	84½
Erie	25,500	34⅝	33⅛	34⅜	33⅜
do. 1st preferred	9,510	68½	67⅝	68¼	67⅜
do. 2d preferred	5,650	56⅝	55⅝	56½	56
Great Northern preferred	100	189½	189½	189	185
Hocking Valley	200	97	95	94	96
do. preferred	230	93	93	95	96
Illinois Central	1,705	136	135	135⅞	134½
Iowa Central	400	29	28½	28⅝	29
do. preferred	500	51	51	50	50
Lake Erie and Western	200	37	36	37	36
do. preferred	.....	.....	.....	100	100
Louisville and Nashville	3,300	113¾	113	113¾	112⅞
Manhattan L.	3,321	138	137¼	137⅞	136⅝
Metropolitan St. Ry.	1,950	130	129¼	129⅝	129
Mexican Central	1,800	25⅞	25⅝	25⅝	24⅞
Mexican National	3,800	23⅜	22½	22⅝	22
Minneapolis and St. Louis	600	78	74½	78	76
Missouri Pacific	28,985	104¾	104	104	104⅛
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	1,700	24¼	23⅝	24⅜	23⅜
do. preferred	1,100	54⅜	53⅛	54	53⅜
New Jersey Central	.....	.....	.....	168	165
New York Central	4,715	127½	126	127⅜	125¼
Norfolk and Western	4,650	69	67⅞	68⅜	67⅜
do. preferred	.....	.....	.....	88½	88½
Ontario and Western	6,500	27⅞	26½	27⅛	26⅝
Pennsylvania	40,720	127⅞	126⅝	127⅝	126⅜
Reading	14,800	49⅝	48¾	49⅜	48¼
do. 1st preferred	100	83½	83½	81½	81½
do. 2d preferred	.....	.....	.....	65	65
St. Louis and San Francisco	2,750	73¼	72	72⅞	72½
do. 1st preferred	.....	.....	.....	75	74
do. 2d preferred	600	65½	64¾	65¼	65¼
St. Louis Southwestern	100	20⅝	20¼	20¼	20¼
do. preferred	1,400	46⅞	46	46⅞	45½
St. Paul	70,570	150¼	148⅜	150	148¼
do. preferred	1,100	175	175	177	175
Southern Pacific	32,125	51⅜	50	51⅝	49⅝
Southern Railway	10,260	27⅜	26⅝	27⅜	26⅝
do. preferred	900	90½	90	91	89¼
Texas and Pacific	3,900	31½	30½	31⅛	30⅜
Toledo, St. Louis and West.	.....	.....	.....	20⅜	20
do. preferred	300	39	38⅝	39	38½

Total sales for the day, 692,200 shares.

Railway Stocks.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Today	Sat'day.
Union Pacific	44,600	86⅞	84½	85⅝	84⅜
do. preferred	.....	.....	.....	89	88½
Wabash	1,000	25⅜	.....	25	24½
do. preferred	5,800	45⅞	44⅜	45½	44½
Wheeling and Lake Erie	400	23	23	22⅝	22¼
do. 2d preferred	600	36¼	35	35	32
Wisconsin Central	2,470	20⅝	20	20⅜	20¼
do. preferred	900	43	41½	42½	41
Express Companies.					
Adams	.....	.....	.....	221	221
American	260	113½	108½	109	113
United States	.....	.....	.....	200	200
Wells Fargo	.....	.....	.....		
Miscellaneous.					
Amalgamated Copper	26,520	62⅛	60⅝	62	60⅞
American Car and Foundry	1,800	37¼	36	37½	36½
do. preferred	425	89	88¼	88⅝	88⅝
American Linseed Oil	250	11⅝	10⅝	11¼	11
do. preferred	.....	.....	.....	35	35
American Smelting and Ref'g	3,320	48¼	47½	48	47⅝
do. preferred	900	95	94⅜	94½	94½
Anaconda Mining Co.	1,900	96	94¾	95⅝	95
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	8,550	61¾	60⅝	61⅜	60½
Colorado Fuel and Iron	1,600	69½	67⅝	68½	67¼
Consolidated Gas	1,400	201¾	201	201½	200
Continental Tobacco pfd	.....	.....	.....	110	109⅝
General Electric	633	183½	183	184½	181
Hocking Coal	140	17	17	17¼	15
International Paper	400	16⅝	16	16⅜	16
do. preferred	.....	.....	.....	70	70
International Power	.....	.....	.....	40	39
Laclede Gas	200	40	40	39½	40
National Biscuit	.....	.....	.....	97	97
National Lead	200	92¾	92	92	91
North American	.....	.....	.....	53	53
Pacific Coast	600	28½	27¾	28	28½
Pacific Mail	1,070	101	99¾	100⅝	99⅝
People's Gas	1,210	56½	55¼	56½	55½
Pressed Steel Car	.....	.....	.....	89	89
do. preferred	.....	.....	.....	210	209½
Pullman Palace Car	1,200	15⅝	15¼	15½	15
Republic Steel	200	75¼	75	75	75
do. preferred	4,920	125	123¼	125½	122⅝
Sugar	3,000	56	54¾	55⅝	54⅝
Tennessee Coal and Iron	500	9¾	9½	9⅝	9
Union Bag and Paper Co.	200	69	68¾	69	68
do. preferred	5,400	13	12⅝	13⅜	12⅝
United States Leather	2,804	95¾	94¾	95⅝	95
do. preferred	400	15¾	14½	15½	14⅝
United States Rubber	410	51	49	51¾	49½
do. preferred	32,825	31⅝	30¼	31½	30⅝
United States Steel	10,570	81¾	80¼	81⅝	80⅝
do. preferred	300	82½	82½	82⅜	81⅝
Western Union	1,500	23⅞	23	23¼	23
American Locomotive	200	91¼	91	91	90
do. preferred	800	28¾	27¼	28	27⅛
Kansas City Southern	300	49	48¾	48⅝	48⅛
Rock Island	73,500	38¼	36¼	37⅝	37
do. preferred	500	73	71⅜	72½	72
Va.-Car. Chem. Co.	10,210	58	57	57⅞	57¼
do. preferred	101	121	121	121	120
Seaboard Air Line	.....	.....	.....	24¼	24⅛
do. preferred	.....	.....	.....	41⅝	41
do. 4s bonds	.....	.....	.....	81⅛	81¼

CLOSING BOND QUOTATIONS.

U. S. refunding 2s, registered	105¼	Chicago, M. and St. Paul general 4s	109	Norfolk and Western consolidated 4s	99⅜
do. coupon	105⅝	Chicago and Northwestern consol. 7s	132½	Reading general 4s	97⅝
U. S. 3s, registered	107¼	Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific 4s	105½	St. Louis and Iron Mountain consol. 5s	112
do. coupon	107⅛	C., C., C. and St. Louis general 4s	99¼	St. Louis and San Francisco 4s	96½
U. S. new 4s, registered	135½	Chicago Terminal 4s	83½	St. Louis and San Francisco 4s	96½
do. coupon	135½	Colorado Southern 4s	89	St. Louis Southwestern 1sts	94½
U. S. old 4s, registered	110⅝	Denver and Rio Grande 4s	99	do. 2ds	82
do. coupon	110⅝	Erie prior lien 4s	98⅛	San Antonio and Aransas Pass 4s	79½
U. S. 5s, registered	102½	do. general 4s	84⅝	Southern Pacific 4s	90⅛
do. coupon	102½	Fort Worth and Denver City 1sts	110	Southern Railway 5s	106½
Atchison, general 4s	99⅝	Hocking Valley 4½s	107½	Texas and Pacific 1sts	118
do. adjustment 4s	88½	Manhattan gold convertible 4s	101½	Toledo, St. Louis and Western 4s	74
Baltimore and Ohio 4s	102	Louisville and Nashville unified 4s	101	Union Pacific 4s	102½
do. 3½s	93½	Mexican Central 4s	79	do. convertible 4s	97¼
do. convertible 4s	100½	do. 1st income	25⅝	Wabash 1sts	115½
Canada Southern 2ds	105⅝	Minneapolis and St. Louis 4s	100½	do. 2ds	106⅛
Central of Georgia 5s	105½	Missouri, Kansas and Texas 4s	99⅝	do. debenture B	76
do. 1st incomes	74½	do. 2ds	81½	West Shore 4s	110⅛
do. 2d incomes	32½	New York Central general 3½s	103	Wheeling and Lake Erie 4s	91
Chesapeake and Ohio 4½s	104¼	New Jersey Central general 5s	132½	Wisconsin Central 4s	91⅝
Chicago and Alton 3½s	76¼	Northern Pacific 4s	102	Continental Tobacco 4s	61
Chicago, B. and Quincy new 4s	94⅝	do. 3s	71⅞	Colorado Fuel convertible 5s	87

ONLY PROVISIONS SHOWED WEAKNESS

Support Was Insufficient To Check a Declining Tendency.

RIBS SHOW GREATEST LOSS

Wheat Ruled Firm, but Closed 1-4c Lower—Corn Was Strong, Closing 1-8 to 1-4c Higher. Sentiment Was Bullish in Oats.

Chicago, May 26.—Wheat ruled firm after a small decline early and the close was steady at 1-4c under yesterday. Corn was strong with a gain of 1-8@1-4c. Oats followed with a gain of 1-4c and only provisions showed weakness, final figures showing a loss of 5@17 1-2c.

Wheat was a trifle easier at the start, due chiefly to the fact that the May deal is reported as liquidated and that about 1,500,000 bushels were delivered yesterday. There was considerable early selling of July, which opened 1-4@3-8c lower at 73 1-2 to 73 5-8c and declined to 73 3-8@73 1-2c. The decline was checked by Armour buying and an advance to 74 1-8c followed. The close was steady, although late liquidation caused some of the advance to be lost, at 73 5-8c. St. Louis was a fair buyer and helped the late strength. Foreign advices were more favorable and cables about steady. Clearances of wheat and flour were 350,877 bushels. Primary receipts 319,632 bushels against 254,052 a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 148 cars, which, with local receipts of 34, on contract, made total receipts for the three points 232 cars against 158 last week and 126 a year ago.

Free covering by shorts and general buying caused the marked strength in corn. The principal influences were smaller country offerings and prospects of a freight handlers' strike, which will seriously interfere with the movement. The market showed the influence of wheat late in the session, but the close was steady with July up 1-8@1-4c at 45 1-4@45 3-8c after ranging between 45@45 1-2c. The cables showed strength and cash demand was good. Local receipts 482 cars, 50 on contract.

Covering by shorts and the strength in other grains caused an advance in oats, July showing a closing gain of 1-4c at 31-8c. There was some selling by traders early, but they turned buyers late in the day and the sentiment was bullish throughout the session. Cash trade was fair. Local receipts 280 cars.

Pit traders were leading sellers of provisions, and there was insufficient support to check a declining tendency. A few shorts bought May pork and the strength in corn was a little help, but closing prices showed July pork down 5c at $16.75 with lard 17 1-2c lower at $8.80 and ribs off 12 1-2c at $9.22 1-2.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
May	75¼	76	74⅞	75⅝
July	73⅝	74¼	73⅜	73⅝
Sept.	70⅝	71⅜	70⅛	70⅝
CORN—				
May	45½	46	45	46
July	44⅝	45½	45	45⅝
Sept.	44⅜	45⅛	44⅝	44⅞
OATS—				
May	36	36	35⅝	35⅝
July	33⅞	34½	33⅝	33⅝
Sept.	30⅝	31⅜	30⅝	31⅜
MESS PORK—				
May	18.85	18.95	18.85	18.95
July	17.50	17.50	17.40	17.40
Sept.	16.75	16.85	16.75	16.75
LARD—				
May	8.75	.....	.....	.....
July	8.95	8.95	8.82½	8.82½
Sept.	8.95	8.97½	8.80	8.80
SHORT RIBS—				
May	9.37½	9.37½	9.35	9.35
July	9.50	9.52½	9.40	9.40
Sept.	9.32½	9.32½	9.22½	9.22½

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	22,800	16,600
Wheat, bushels	50,700	80,300
Corn, bushels	441,600	210,400
Oats, bushels	330,000	202,600
Rye, bushels	8,500	1,000
Barley, bushels	40,700	3,000

The Liverpool Grain Market.

Liverpool, May 26.—Wheat: Spot No. 2 red western winter firm at 6s 4 1-2d; No. 1 northern spring dull at 6s 7d; No. 1 California quiet at 6s 8d; futures quiet; July 6s 3 1-4d; September 6s 1 1-2d.

Corn: Spot American mixed quiet 4s 6d; futures quiet; June 4s 7d; September 4s 3 1-2d.

Atlanta Brokerage Co.'s Grain Letter.

Chicago, May 26.—There was an easy opening in the wheat pit today, though subsequently there was a change in the trend of affairs and some betterments resulted, the market becoming rather quieter and a little nervous on the advance. The cables were about steady. The primary movement was quite bullish, while the clearances were of fair size. The cash and export business was moderate.

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I will apply at next meeting of city council for renewal of beer license at 115 W. Mitchell st. Dan Pappa.

Application will be made at next meeting of general council for renewal of retail liquor license at 9 W. Mitchell st. J. D. Brady & Bro.

I will apply at next meeting of council for retail liquor license at 12 Walton st. H. Jacobs & Co.

Application will be made at next meeting of general council for renewal of retail beer license at 197 Peters st. John Gray.

Application will be made at next meeting of general council for renewal of retail beer license at 512 Marietta st. G. W. Lawless.

I will apply at next meeting of council for retail liquor license at 152 and 154 Peters street. J. A. Smith.

At the next meeting of general council I will make application for renewal of retail liquor and beer license at 32 Marietta st. and 20 N. Broad. Jacob Vogt.

Application will be made at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at 21 W. Mitchell. Carolee & Dumopulas.

Application will be made at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at 152 Decatur st. Abe Shurman.

I will apply at the next regular meeting of council for a retail liquor license at No. 48 Decatur street. H. G. Keeney.

We will apply at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at 236 Marietta st. Gann & Garraux.

This is to notify the public that we will apply at the next meeting of the city council for retail liquor license at Piedmont hotel, corner Luckie and Peachtree streets, Piedmont Hotel Company, George W. Parrott, Pres.

Application will be made at next meeting of council for renewal of retail beer license at 229 Simpson street. Gann & Garraux.

Application will be made at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at 43 Decatur street. Curran & Scott.

We will apply for retail liquor license at 224 Marietta street at the next meeting of general council. Massey & Archer.

Application will be made at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at 33 W. Mitchell. S. Samuels.

Application will be made for renewal of retail liquor license at next meeting of general council at 50 Decatur street. Georgia Liquor Co.

Application will be made at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at 2 Central avenue. S. Kline.

Application will be made at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at 17 Marietta street. W. H. Faith.

Application will be made at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at 10 Ivy street. W. H. Faith.

I will make application at next meeting of city council for wholesale liquor license at 27 E. Alabama st. Harry Moses.

We will apply for renewal of retail liquor license at 212 Marietta street at the next meeting of general council. M. Stoner & Co.

Application will be made at next meeting of council for renewal of wholesale liquor license at 79-81 Peachtree street. R. M. Rose Co.

We will apply for renewal of retail liquor license at 159 Marietta street at the next meeting of general council. W. B. Archer & Co.

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Application will be made at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at 33 N. Forsyth st. I. H. Oppenheim.

Application will be made at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at 7 and 9 E. Alabama st. I. H. Oppenheim.

At next meeting of council I will apply for renewal of retail liquor license at No. 2 Central avenue. S. Kline.

At next meeting of council I will apply for renewal of retail liquor license at 142 Decatur street. C. M. Calloway.

At next meeting of council we will apply for renewal of wholesale liquor license at 42-44-46 Marietta street. Bluthenthal & Bickart.

We will apply at next council meeting for renewal of wholesale liquor license at 24 South Pryor. Lomax Distilling Co.

Application will be made at meeting of general council for renewal of retail liquor license at 120 Decatur street. E. S. Vandegrift.

I will apply at next meeting of general council for renewal of retail liquor license at 189 Decatur street. M. Shurman.

I will apply at next meeting of general council for renewal of retail liquor license at 15 West Mitchell street. J. Cohen.

Application will be made at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at 183 Decatur street. L. Hosias.

I will apply to the next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at No. 161 Decatur street. John Faith.

We will apply at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at No. 7 Central avenue. Faith & Wallace.

I will apply at next meeting of council for liquor and beer license at 156 Marietta street. F. Frederick.

I will apply at next meeting of council for renewal of liquor and beer license at 51 South Broad st. B. Cline & Co.

I will apply at next meeting of council for renewal of beer license at 230 Decatur street. John C. Bieser.

I will apply at next meeting of council for renewal of liquor license at 190 Decatur street. Friend & Quinn.

I will apply to next meeting of general council for renewal of retail liquor license at 47 North Broad street. L. M. Prouty.

I will apply to next meeting of general council for renewal of retail liquor license at 46 Marietta street. L. M. Prouty.

We will apply to next meeting of general council for renewal of retail liquor license at 5 Decatur street. Prouty & Co.

Application will be made at next meeting of council for renewal of retail beer license at 242 Decatur street. R. C. Brown.

I will apply to next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license. S. C. Little, 111 Decatur street.

I will apply at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at 228 Marietta street. Hanlan Bros.

At next meeting of council I will apply for renewal of retail liquor license at 51 Decatur street. C. D. Cheatham.

We will apply at next meeting of council for a retail liquor license at 89 Decatur street. Minihinett Liquor Co.

NOTICE.

I will apply at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at 16 and 18 North Broad street. W. J. Brown.

At next regular meeting of city council I will apply for retail liquor license at corner Pryor and Alabama streets. J. B. Chamlee.

At next meeting of council I will make application for renewal of retail liquor license at 131 Decatur street. J. Cohen.

At next meeting of council I will apply for renewal of wholesale liquor license at No. 61 1-2 Central avenue. L. S. Edgerly.

Application will be made at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at No. 11 South Broad street. Gray & Condon.

Notice is hereby given that I will at the next meeting of the general council make application for retail liquor license at 14 Marietta street. E. L. Gifford.

I will apply for renewal of retail liquor license at next meeting of council at No. 133 Peters street. M. Hellman.

At next regular meeting of council I will apply for renewal of retail liquor license at Nos. 36 and 38 Decatur street. J. H. McCarty.

I will apply at next meeting of council for renewal of beer license at 299 Marietta street. H. P. Milan.

I will apply at next meeting of council for renewal of beer license at 54 West Hunter. William Bender.

I will apply at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at 105 Decatur street. E. C. O'Donnell.

I hereby make application for retail liquor license at 29 South Pryor street. Ph. Schwartz.

We will apply at next meeting of council for renewal of wholesale liquor license at 7 and 9 Decatur street. Jos. Thompson Company.

I will apply at next meeting of council for transfer of license from John A. Jolliet to W. P. Stevans at 205 W. Peters st. Also renewal of retail beer license.

I will apply at next meeting of council for renewal of beer license at 15 Ivy street. John F. Harper.

Notice is hereby given that I will apply at next meeting of council for renewal of retail liquor license at 20 Wall street. J. E. Cummings.

Notice is hereby given that we will apply at next meeting of council for renewal of wholesale liquor license at 16 Marietta street. E. H Carroll & Co.

I will apply at next meeting of council for retail liquor license at 94 Decatur street. N. J. Ferrell, agent.

I will apply at next meeting of council for retail liquor license at 35 Decatur street. E. E. Smith, agent.

I will apply at next meeting of council for retail liquor license at 300 Marietta street. John Benson.

I will apply at next meeting of council for renewal of retail beer license at 308 Marietta street. J. A. Loftis, Jr.

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GREAT SAVING TO THE CITY

Big Reduction Was Secured on Price of New Pump Needed.

It develops that under the proposition made to the city with reference to furnishing a new 18,000,000 gallon pump for water works station No. 1 at the river, quite a handsome sum is saved to the city, if the pump is purchased, through the work of Superintendent Park Woodward, of the water department.

It is said by a well known member of the water board that Colonel Woodward went thoroughly into the matter of figures on pumps before this proposition was made by the Holly Manufacturing Company. Colonel Woodward secured estimates on vertical pumps of 20,000,000 gallons capacity. The figures of the Holly company amounted to about $188,000, and those of this company's chief opponent were $10,000 higher. The horizontal engines are considerably cheaper. The Holly company's estimate on the new pump, a horizontal one, was originally $105,000. This is the only company that builds horizontal engines of this capacity. When the question of making the proposition came up Colonel Woodward called attention to the fact that the company had the patterns of the new pump recently put in at station No. 2, and would save as a result of this fact about $7,000, which is approximately the cost of the patterns.

Colonel Woodward asked that the company give the city the benefit of this fact, but the request was refused. When it became apparent, however, that such concession would probably be necessary if the proposition was to be recommended by the water board, the company finally agreed to put the price of the 18,000,000 gallon pump down to $98,277, the same price as was paid for the 15,000,000 gallon pump at the Hemphill station.

The question of the purchase of the new pump is now before the finance committee. Of the necessity for the purchase, the water board has fully apprised council.

JOHN W. LITTLE DEAD.

Died Monday Night at Indian Spring—Funeral This Morning.

John W. Little, of Atlanta, died Monday night at 10:30 o'clock at Indian Spring.

The deceased is survived by his wife and one daughtr, Mrs. James W. Rankin, and two sons, Joe W. Little and Arch W. Little.

Mr. Little was formerly of Eatonton. He was a confederate veteran, having served in the civil war in the Twelfth Georgia regiment.

Funeral services will be conducted this morning at 10 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Rankin, 79 Oak street. The interment will be at Westview cemetery. The following gentlemen will act as pallbearers: I. Shropshire, W. R. Shropshire, Charles S. Lincoln, F. S. McGaughey, A. R. Colcord and E. O. Pritchard.

VALDOSTA HOTEL IS BURNED.

Stuart Hotel, Old Landmark, Reduced to Ashes.

Valdosta, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—The Stuart hotel, in this city, was destroyed by fire this morning at 3 o'clock. The house was a large frame building and burned rapidly, the fire having gained much headway before it was discovered.

For many years the old Stuart hotel was the leading hotel of Valdosta, but has been used as a boarding house for several months. It was leased by H. H. Flowers, who expected to vacate the place today, most of his furniture, etc., having been moved yesterday.

Mr. Flowers and two or three other men were sleeping in the building, and when awakened the fire was burning fiercely on one end of the building. The attention of the department was directed to saving adjoining buildings, which were in great danger from the fire. Two or three small frame houses in the rear of the hotel were destroyed.

W. L. Converse owned the hotel and had $1,650 insurance. Policies for nearly as much more lapsed only a few days ago. Mr. Converse's loss is about $3,000 above the insurance.

$8,000 IS RAISED FOR MONROE.

Dirt Broken on Campus for New Dormitory Yesterday

Forsyth, Ga., May 26.—(Special.)—Ex-Governor W. J. Northen delivered the commencement address at Monroe college today. At the conclusion of his address, W. D. Upshaw took up a collection to help pay for a new dormitory to be constructed during the summer. Eight thousand dollars was contributed by the people of Forsyth and others. Dirt was broken for the new building on the campus this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Among those who contributed were: Mrs. H. H. Tift, $2,000; students of the college, $1,800; R. B. Stevens, $1,000.

Improves Schedules to Important South Georgia Points Via Central of Georgia Railway.

The Central of Georgia railway, in connection with the Atlantic and Birmingham railway, have inaugurated greatly improved schedules via Montezuma. Passengers can take advantage of sleeping car between Atlanta and Montezuma, retiring in sleeper in union depot 10:00 p. m., thereby getting a good night's sleep, and arrive at their destinations early next morning. For further information apply to W. H. Fogg, traveling passenger agent, No. 16 Wall street, Atlanta, Ga. 5-23-eod-10t

Mexico's Way.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat: It is to be four years more of Diaz, and that, too, without going through the delirium of a nominating convention, the anxious weeks of a canvass or the thrilling climax of an election. The general has been good enough to say that he will accept another term as president, and that settles it.

A dispatch from the Mexican capital says that an official decree has been issued to the "Jefe Politicos," telling them that no nomination except that of Diaz is to be received. This is a benevolent formality, serving notice on other possible aspirants that they will only be wasting time and money by seeking the chief magistracy. It seems a strange proceeding to Americans, but there is reason for it. Ever since 1876 Diaz has ruled Mexico with the exception of one term of four years, when he governed through the titular president. Since then the barriers to indefinite reelection have been removed and he has served continuously. He will retain office as long as he lives, if so disposed, and the belief is that the longer he lives the better for Mexico. Although 73 years old, he shows no signs of physical or mental weakness and is probably good for several years of effective work. What may happen after him no one knows and few are idle enough to conjecture. The disquieting fact is, that anything may happen.

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Will Be Held at the Church Tomorrow Night and Friday.

The members of Moore Memorial Presbyterian church have arranged for a bazaar, to be held at the church beginning tomorrow night and continuing through Friday night.

Articles of various kinds will be placed on sale and a specialty will be made of aprons. Refreshments will be served and those in charge of the bazaar will use their efforts to render it a pronounced success and thoroughly enjoyable in every respect.

Notice.

To the General Public—To allow our employees the advantage of shorter hours during the warm weather, we have agreed to close our places of business during the months of June, July and August at 7 o'clock.

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YOUNG "CHARLEY" GATES.

They Say He Is Much Smoother Than the Old Man.

New York Sun: The young man had been sparring with trust busters and trust hunters, the interstate commerce commission acting as referee. He met all comers at catch weights, sparred fair and fast, and, altogether, put up such an excellent exhibition of head, hand and foot work that he came through without a scratch.

When the bouts were over, Charles G. Gates, the only son of John W. Gates, a gentleman who has cut a considerable quantity of ice on the financial lakes of this country th the last few years, was proclaimed the champion defender of stock manipulation, for his age and weight, in the United States. His father stated that he was willing to back his boy in any similar "go" he might engage in, even if it were necessary for the young man to go out of his class.

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Young "Charlie" Gates—he is not over 30 years old—is the son of his dad, a chip of the old block, but he would have made a place for himself in the world, even if he hadn't had John W. Gates behind him. He is a member of the brokerage firm of Harris, Gates & Co., and his reputation is that he is one of the longest headed young men in Wall street. His individuality is much like his father's, except that he has more finesse than the old man.

John W. Gates, in business, turns square corners and doesn't mind much about the edge he kicks off in his turnings. The son turns round corners and, if he can help it, not so much as a scratch is left behind to mark his trail.

He is fond of golf and automobiling, and, like his father, has a pardonable weakness for a friendly game of poker. The story is that, when the hands are dealt, Charlie is one of the few men on earth that John W. can't bluff out of a jack pot.

"If he wasn't onto my curves," the father is reported to have said once, "I could win some of his money. But as it is, the boy usually gets it all. I've made up my mind there's no use wasting valuable time on him. When he's in, I stay out."

It was Longfellow, who, dropping into prose, once said: "Either write something worth reading or say something worth writing." In Saratoga last summer "Charlie" Gates said something which was written down and printed in the newspapers east and west. He and a friend were standing by one of the roulette tables in the Saratoga Club. A short, dark-haired, dark-mustached man came along, nodded and passed on.

"Do you know who that was?" said young Mr. Gates to his friend.

"Never saw him before," was the answer.

"Why," said Charlie, "that was little Angie Belmont, from whom pop and I took away Louisville and Nashville last spring."

Then the young man put $500 on the red, won and took some friends in to supper.

In Chopin's "Etude in E Minor" it is necessary to read 3,960 signs in two minutes and a half, which is equivalent to about twenty-six notes per second.

THE DAY IN WALL STREET.

New York, May 26.—The conspicuous facts in today's stock market were the relaxation in the pressure of the urgent and forced liquidation which has kept the market unsettled for some time and the extreme caution of the buying at the higher level of prices which was maintained today. The general level of the market was above last night all day, but prices wavered and fluctuated constantly throughout the session. About 2 o'clock prices were generally at the lowest and in the neighborhood of last night's level, but one of the numerous rallies set in during the last hour and the closing was firmer at higher prices than at any previous time during the day. The opening dealings disclosed good buying orders distributed among the great speculative railroad stocks, the movements in which are of largest sympathetic effect on the general market. These are precisely the stocks which have suffered most severely in the recent liquidation. The evidence that they were supported had an important reassuring effect on the situation in the stock market, which had become somewhat alarming as the result of yesterday's events. Developments in financial and busiess affairs were without effect on the market, and the attention of operators in stocks was devoted almost exclusively to attempts to solve the mystery of the source of the stream of liquidation. Pure surmise and irresponsible gossip played an important part in this, but the conclusion has been quite generally arrived at that the recent selling was promted by some special financial needs of the holders rather than by conditions affecting the stocks sold. It is a matter of public knowledge that a very large accumulation of railroad stocks have been made during the late period of rumors of the extensive consolidation. Part of the accumulation was made in the direct effort to secure control of various railroads and part of it was made by wealthy speculative followers who were informed of the projects under way for a profitable turn in the market. The great check to the wholesale consolidation process came by the Northern Securities decision and in increasing degree from the impossibility of marketing newly manufactured securities. The consequence has been the abandonment of many consolidation projects and the tying up of very large holdings in the hands of the projectors and their speculative friends and followers. While this is held to account for the special pressure to sell the fact remains that the exceedingly scanty buying demand which makes the selling effective in breaking prices, is due to distrust of the general business and industrial outlook.

The bond market was irregular. Total sales, par value, $2,220,000.

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Bar silver 53 7-8c.

Mexican dollars 43 1-2c.

Government bonds steady.

Railroad bonds irregular.

Baxter & Co.'s Stock Letter.

New York, May 26.—There was a considerable decline in activity today, but the course of prices indicated that it was the result of a diminution of the recent force of liquidation. There continued to be intermitent selling of long stocks, and at times the market reacted with a apparent ease. The recoveries, however, exhibited more vigor than in some time, and in late afternoon sentiment of speculation was obviously healthier than extensive, evering of shorts set in and imparted considerable spirit to the recovery. The announcement of another gold shipment to Europe had only a passing and slight reflection in the stock market. Favorable rumors were current with regard to the establishment of better relations between the Gould and Pennsylvania railroad factions, and the more favorable attitude of an important interest which has been suspected of late of hostility, or at least indifference to the bull side of the market. There were also semi-official assurances respecting the maintenance of the dividend rate on St. Paul, and the suport given to the stock had decided influence in turning the speculative tide upward and its price closed at the highest with a net gain of 2 points. The market closed active and strong at about best prices.

Cothran & Co.'s Stock Letter.

New York, May 26.—The market gathered nspiration from the advance in London with arbitrate purchases of 25,000 shares, support appearing in a number of stocks, and this induced shorts to cover to quite an extent although transactions were limited in comparison with yesterday. $1,300,000 gold in all will go abroad today, while the banks lost $474,000 to the sub-terasury since Friday. Call money loaned at 2 1-2 to 2 3-4 per cent, and there was an absence of forced liquidation. Erie were strong features, while substantial recoveries appeared in the grangers, Gould issuses and Pacifics, United States steel and copper. Shorts covered in Baltimore and Ohio and Reading. Banking houses and commission houses as well reported a good demand for the better class of stocks, but the professional element were not at all enthusiastic over the situation. The advances in grain in Chicago attracted attention, being due to fears of a tie-up growing out of the theatened strike by the freight handlers, which it was thought would be for-reaching in its character. The offerings, especially in St. Paul and the Pacific's, seemed to be fairly well-absorbed, and it was evident professionals were inclined to let the market take its regular course for a while and await the Cassatt and Gould conference.

Foreign Finances.

London, May 26.—Consols for money 91 11-16; for account 91 3-4. Atchison 76 3-8; do. preferred 98; Illinois Central 138 1-2; Louisville and Nashville 116.

Bar silver 24 13-16d.

Paris, May 26.—Three per cent rentes 97 francs 92 1-2 centimes for account. Exchange on London 25 francs 18 centimes for checks.

Berlin, May 26.—Short bills 3 per cent; three months' bills 3 1-4.

The Treasury Statement.

Washington, May 26.—Today's treasury balances, exclusive of the gold reserve, show: Available cash balances $222,920,913; gold, $106,957,479.

Country Produce.

Atlanta, May 26. Eggs, fresh, 14@15c. Country smoked bacon, 11@12½c; hams, 13@15c. Butterfi Georgia fresh table 16@20; Tennessee table, 20@22½c; Jersey 20@22 1-2c; cooking butter 12 1-2 to 15c; supply plentiful with demand slow. Live poultry hens, 30 cents; fries, large, 25@27 1-2c; spring broilers 20@25c; medium 15@16c; small, 10@12 1-2c. Duck, puddie, 25c; Peking 30c. Live turkeys 10 to 11c. Dressed poultry, hens, 12 1-2@13 1-2c per lb.; fries 15c lb.; cocks 8@10c lb.; turkeys 12½@14c. Onions, new crop $1.50@1.75 bu. Cabbage, Florida green, 1@1 1-2c. Irish potatoes, northern, 90c to $1 bushel. Sweet potatoes, 90 to $1 per bushel. Peas, white, $1.25 bu.; do. lady, $1.75@2.00; stock $1.00@1.25. Dried fruit, Georgia apples 5c lb.; do. peaches 4@5c.

Coffee and Sugar.

New York, May 26.—Coffee futures steady and unchanged to a decline of 5 points and ruled more than usually active until liquidation as a result of expected larger receipts. Shorts, however, covered freely, and toward the close the market turned a little firmer, being finally steady net unchanged to 5 points higher with the gains confined to June and September; sales 39,750 bags; June 4.75; September 4.05@4.10; November 4.20@4.25; December 4.55@4.60; March 4.75; April 4.80. Coffee, spot quiet.

Sugar, raw steady; centrifugal 96-test 3 5-8@3 11-16. Refined steady.

New Orleans, May 26.—Sugar dull; open kettle 2 5-8@3 7-16; open kettle centrifugal 3 1-8@3 5-8; centrifugal whites 4 1-4; yellow 3 5-8@4; seconds 2 1-8@3 1-2. Molasses, open kettle nominal at 13@26; centrifugal 6@18. Sirup nominal at 19@24.

The Live Stock Market.

Chicago, May 26.—Cattle: Receipts 3,500. Market steady and lower; good to prime steers $4.90@5.20; poor to medium $4.00@5.90; stockers and feeders $3.00@4.50; cows $1.50@4.60; heifers $2.25@4.85; canners $1.50@2.80; bulls $2.25@4.25; calves $2.50@6.85; Texas fed steers $4.00@4.60.

Hogs—Receipts 17,000; packers and butchers $5.75@6.10; good to choice heavy $6.10@6.40; light $5.45@5.85; bulk $5.80@6.10.

Sheep—Receipts 6,000. Market steady to 10c lower; good to choce wethers $4.60@5.10; fair to choce mixed $3.10@4.50; western sheep $4.60@5.00; native lambs $4.00@7.00; western lambs $4.50@7.00.

Kansas City, May 26.—Cattle: Reciepts 9,880 natives and 200 Texans. Calves, 125 natives. Market steady to 10c lower, choice export and dressed beef steers $4.50@5.10; fair to good $2.75@4.50; stockers and feeders $3.00@4.60; western fed steers $2.80@4.90; Texas and Indian steers $3.25@4.40; Texas cows $2.00@3.00; native cows $2.00@4.10; native heifers $3.20@4.55; canners $1.60@2.25; bulls $2.75@4.00; calves $3.00@6.50.

Hogs—Receipts 17,000. Market 10@15c lower; heavy $5.95@6.16; light $6.25@6.92 1-2; pigs $5.00@5.55.

Sheep—Receipts 6,00. Market steady to 10c lower; native lambs $4.50@7.50; western lambs $4.00@7.40; ewes $3.50@5.30; native wethers $3.70@5.45; Texas clipped sheep $3.60@5.30; stockers and feeders $2.35@4.15.

St. Louis, May 26.—Cattle—Receipts 5,000, including 3,000 natives. Market strong native shipping and export steers $4.00@5.25; dressed beef and butchers steers $3.90@5.00; steers under 1,000 punds $3.75@4.75; stckers and feeders $2.85@4.25; cws and heifers $2.25@4.50; canners $3.00@275; bulls $2.75@3.75; calves $3.00@6.25; Texas and Indian steers $2.75@4.40; cows and heifers $2.00@3.35.

Hgs—Receipts 9,000; Market slow; pigs and lights $5.65@5.85; packers $5.75@6.00; butchers and best heavy $6.00@6.25.

Sheep—Receipts 10,000. Market slow; native muttons $4.00@5.00; lambs $4.50@7.25; culls and bucks $2.50@5.00; stockers $2.00@3.00; Texans $3.60@4.70.

The Metal Market.

New York, May 26.—There was a sharp break in the London copper market today, prices there being marked down £1 10s for spot and £2 for futures, the former closing at £60 5s 6d and the latter at £59 10s. The local market was dull at 14.75 for lake, electrolytic and casting.

There was a decline of 10s in tin at London, closing at fb128 5s and futures at £126 5s 2d. The local market was weak at 28.12 1-2@28.37 1-2.

Lead declined 1s 3d in London, closing at £11 12s 6d. Locally, quiet at 4.37 1-2.

Speiter declined 2s 6d in London to £20 15s. Locally, unchanged at 5.75.

Iron closed at 52s 3d in Glasgow and 45s 6d in Middlesboro. In New York iron was nominal. No. 1 foundry, northern, $20.50@21.00; No. 2 foundry, northern, $19.50@20.25; No. 1 foundry, southern, and No. 1 foundry, southern soft, $20.25@20.75. Warrants nominal.

St. Louis, May 26.—Lead dull at $4.15. Speiter steady at $5.50.

Fruits and Confections.

Atlanta, Ga., May 26.—Apples: Fancy $4.50 to $5; choice, $3.00 to $3.75. Oranges: Florida, 126 to 216 to the box $4 to $4.50. Tangerines $4@6. Grape fruit $6.50@7 a box. Lemons, fancy, $3.75@4; choice, $3 to $3.50. Bananas, per bunch, culls, $1@1.25; straights $1.50@1.75. Nuts: Walnuts, No. 1 12 1-2; No. 2, 10 1-2; almonds 13; pecan 9 1-2 to 10; Brazil 12@13; mixed nuts 12 1-2c. Peanuts, Virginia, 4 1-2 to 6c; Georgia, 4c. Cocoanuts, per 100, $2.75. Pineapples $2.75@3.25 crate. Dates, 50lb boxes, 6@6½c; packages, 7½c lb. Figs 13 1-2@14c. Citron 16c. Raisins xx $1.65 per box; xxx $1.85 per box. Prunes small 5@6; large 6@7 1-2. Candy, common stick 6c lb; mixed 6 1-2c.

A Plant of Blessing.

Pittsburg Gazette: The enterprise of our seedsmen and nurserymen, although it ranges over every land, seems put to it sometimes to obtain the novelties with which they like to embellish their catalogues every year. Really good things that acquire staple value come along rarely. A plant has, however, recently been acquired by the famous botanical gardens of New England, which is full of promise, and, if what is said of it be true, there will be a big demand for it as soon as it can be put on the market in this country. It is a native of northern Nigeria, and a living specimen was brought to Kew by Captain H. D. Larymore, a British official of that country. It is known as the mosquito plant, and Captain Larymore testifies from his own experience that a house can be kept free of mosquitoes by keeping in the rooms potted plants of this species. The odor is said to be pleasant, somewhat resembling wild thyme, but mosquitoes cannot bear it, and if caught and inclosed near its leaves succumb in a few seconds. The natives use an infusion of the leaves as a remedy for malarial fever and regard it as more efficacious than quinine. If the plant has such properties as described it is obvious that it will be a very useful thing to have about in localities troubled by mosquitoes or malaria.

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THE WEATHER.

Washington, May 26.—Forecast for Wednesday and Thursday:

Georgia—Showers Wednesday, except fair in southwest portion; Thursday showers; fresh southwest winds.

Virginia—Showers Wednesday and Thursday, slowly rising temperature; fresh southeast to south winds.

North Carolina and South Carolina—Showers Wednesday and probably Thursday; fresh east to southeast winds.

Eastern and Western Florida—Fair Wednesday and Thursday; light variable winds.

Louisiana—Showers and thunderstorms Wednesday, cooler in north portion; Thursday fair.

Kentucky—Showers and thunderstorms not so warm Wednesday and Thursday; fresh southwest winds.

Western Texas—Fair Wednesday and Thursday.

Arkansas—Showers and cooler Wednesday; Thursday fair.

Mississippi—Showers Wednesday and probably Thursday, not so warm; fresh south winds.

Alabama—Fair Wednesday and Thursday except showers and cooler Thursday in the interior; fresh southwest to south winds.

Eastern Texas—Showers and thunderstorms Wednesday, not so warm; Thursday fair; fresh southeast winds on the coast.

Tennessee—Fair in east, showers and thunderstorms and cooler in west portion Wednesday; Thursday showers.

From Various Stations.

Stations and State of Weather.	Temperature 7 p. m.	Temperature High.	Rain, 12's inches.
Atlanta, cloudy	80	80	.00
Abilene, clear	82	85	.00
Augusta, cloudy	72	88	.04
Buffalo, rain	68	78	.04
Charleston, cloudy	76	82	T
Charlotte, cloudy	74	82	.00
Chattanooga, clear	84	80	.00
Chicago, cloudy	78	80	.00
Cincinnati, part cloudy	82	88	.00
Corpus Christi, part cloudy	78	82	.00
Detroit, rain	64	82	.00
Dodge City, rain	52	84	.72
Galveston, cloudy	76	80	.00
Huron, cloudy	58	78	.24
Jacksonville, part cloudy	80	92	.00
Kansas City, cloudy	74	76	T
Knoxville, clear	82	90	.00
Memphis, cloudy	80	84	.00
Mobile, part cloudy	76	82	.00
Montgomery, part cloudy	86	90	.00
New Orleans, cloudy	78	86	.00
New York, cloudy	60	66	.00
Norfolk, cloudy	64	70	.00
North Platte, part cloudy	70	74	T
Omaha, cloudy	64	70	.58
Palestine, part cloudy	80	94	.00
Raleigh, cloudy	70	82	T
Rapid City, cloudy	68	70	.00
St. Louis, cloudy	78	82	.00
St. Paul, cloudy	72	74	.00
Savannah, cloudy	76	86	.00
Tampa, clear	82	94	.00
Vicksburg, cloudy	82	8-	.00
Wilmington, part cloudy	72	74	T

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